

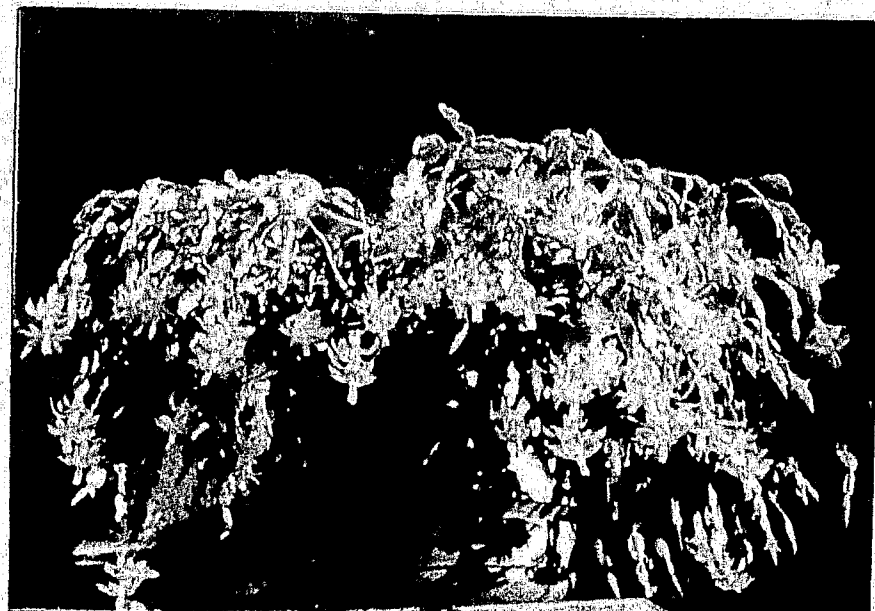
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SHE LOVES YEW -- MUNCH, MUNCH, MUNCH
and that's the problem.
Winkle the Moose
(a.k.a. "Rose" or "Miss Merry")
is quite at home in the quiet,
backstreet neighborhoods of Bethel,
where most residents find her a welcome guest.
But Winkle has an unneighborly habit
of trimming back hard on her hosts' shrubbery,
and that has led to at least one complaint
to the Maine Warden's Service. A state wildlife
biologist was due in town Tuesday afternoon
to review the situation and make a recommendation
as to whether Winkle should be left alone
or relocated.
(Photo by Linda Saunders)



CHRISTMAS DISPLAY--Nature has its own rituals for observing the Christmas season. For more than a century this Christmas cactus has been decking itself out brightly for the holidays.
(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Whither Winkle, this winter's eve?

By MICHAEL DANIELS
and ALISON ALOISIO

Will Bethel be forced to turn away a young orphan at Christmas?

Or can she be fed and allowed to bed down here for the winter?

Since well before Thanksgiving a young moose has been making herself at home in the backyards of Bethel -- roaming the area bordered roughly by Paradise Road and Vernon, Broad and Main streets.

(Most of her neighbors regard the moose as a female, although that's not entirely certain yet.)

The youngster has proven a great

favorite with nearly everyone, despite her healthy appetite for shrubbery -- and habit of depositing, well ...

During her sojourn here, at least three names have attached themselves to the young lady.

"Rose," after one of her favorite foods when uptown on Paradise Road.

"Winkle," because, says Ken Paquette, she's not big enough to be a "Bullwinkle."

Or "Miss Merry" (as in Christmas), because Ginny Cole would "like to put a red ribbon around her -- she'd look so cute."

Cole's yard, along with that of neighbors Norris and Barbara Brown, has become a place for the youngster to call home.

"I looked out Sunday morning and she was curled up right outside the window -- sound asleep," said Cole.

She wonders if the moose is suffering an identity crisis. She said one day the animal followed two dogs down the road.

"Maybe she thinks she's a dog," Cole said.

Although Cole seems to be fond of the moose, she isn't particularly happy about losing her shrubbery. "She's eating our yew shrubbery

-- she loves it," Cole said. "We planted it 30 years ago. At the rate she's eating it, it's going to be all gone."

Cole said she tried banging a spoon against a pan to drive the moose away.

"It worked a few times. But then she'd just turn her head and look at me, then go right back to eating."

Last week Cole called game warden Norm Lewis to see what could be done.

"He said she was too small to dart (to relocate her). It would be apt to

See WINKIE, page 4

Third Bethel Station building approved

But some planners don't want the town stuck with more stucco

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Bethel Planning Board gave conditional approval last week for the third building in the Bethel Station development, but the vote came only after board member Stan Howe strongly objected to the use of stucco-type finishes in the project.

The new building will be a two-story structure located at the corner of the Parkway and Route 2 (across from the Bottle & Bag -- see page 4).

The first tenant will be Norway Savings Bank, which is slated to occupy 3,300 of the total 14,584 square feet.

The bank will be a full-service branch, with a teller, drive-through ATM and additional office space.

Developer Heinie Merrill said he hoped to attract other professional business to the latest building, which he described as "a cornerstone, a presence and an entrance

off Route 2."

The building, he said, "will help create the critical mass that will allow us to have a viable project"

The board voted conditional approval, and also approved an amendment to the overall Bethel Station site plan that allows for the new building to be located at the intersection.

'You can do better, and I hope you do do better, because if the whole project looks like that, it's going to be a disappointment.'

STAN HOWE to developer HEINIE MERRILL regarding the stucco-finished Casablanca Building

strongly to the possibility of another stucco-type building in the project.

Howe characterized the present, stucco-finished Casablanca Building as "not very interesting, not very exciting; it looks pedestrian."

Bethel Station, he said, "will look like the Maine Mall if it's all stucco."

"You can do better," Howe told Merrill, "and I hope you do do better, because if the whole project looks like that, it's going to be a disappointment."

Howe and board chairman Don Feeney noted that when the project was presented to the town, and later to the planning board, the developers repeatedly referenced the buildings of Gould Academy when describing what the finished product would look like.

And the Gould buildings are finished with brick, not stucco.

See STUCCO, page 4

Local Christmas services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Dec. 24: regular 10:30 a.m. worship service; service of readings and carols, 7 p.m.; worship with communion, 11 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Dec. 24: regular Sunday morning worship service; Christmas Eve service, 6 p.m.

Our Lady of the Snows--Dec. 23: regular Sat. Mass, 4:30 p.m.; Dec. 24: Christmas Eve service, 4:30 p.m. (Dec. 31, New Year's Eve service also at 4:30 p.m.)

Bethel Alliance Church--Dec. 24: regular Sunday worship service; Candlelight Communion, 6 p.m.

United Methodist Church--Dec. 24: regular 10:30 a.m. service; Service of Communion and Candlelight, 7:30 and 11 p.m.

West Bethel Union Church--Dec. 23: Candlelight service, "Festival of Lessons and Carols," 7 p.m.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Dec. 24: regular Sunday worship service.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Dec. 24: regular Sunday worship services and Sunday School.

Woodstock Seventh-Day Adventist--Dec. 23: Saturday morning Christmas and musical program, 11 a.m.; 9:20, Sabbath School.

Andover

First Congregational--Dec. 24: regular 10 a.m. worship service; Christmas Eve service, 7 p.m.

Calvary Congregational--Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Service, 5:30-6:15 p.m. (Dec. 31 New Year's Eve service, 9-12:10 a.m.)

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Dec. 24: regular Sunday service; Christmas Eve Candlelight Service with choir, 4 p.m.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational (and North Waterford Congregational)--Dec. 24: Family Christmas service at 10 a.m.; Candlelight Service at 5 p.m. Both services will be at North Waterford Congregational. No church school on Dec. 24 and 31.

Fleece fears prove fleeting

By ALISON ALOISIO

No Polartec. It's enough to send a chill down the spine of any modern outdoorsperson.

That was the fear early last week when a fire devastated the Malden Mills complex in Methuen, Mass. The mill is a major supplier of Polartec and Polarfleece fabrics, used in making many outdoor wear and other clothing items.

Susie Wight of Wight's Tights of Bethel makes Polartec clothing, including jackets, bathrobes and hats. She was among those worried about the fire's ripple effect.

"It's the only place I buy from," she said. But then word came that the Polartec portion of the mill received less damage than other parts. The company now says it will be able to fill 80 to 90 percent of existing customer orders within 30 days.

She said she may have to wait longer than that to get printed material, which is one of her best sellers.

Wight also said her overall inventory of material is low right now, but she can live with that.

"I plan to do other things, and then sit back and wait," she said.

She was able to get an emergency supply of material from Oregon for an order she needs to fill right after Christmas.

Kathy Koveleski of Bethel also uses the material. She makes items including hats, scarves, and pants, and sells them at craft shows and to ski shops.

Koveleski went to Malden Mills this past weekend and was able to buy some material at the mill outlet.

"They're limiting how much you can buy -- 50 yards total and 10 yards of one selection, so big buyers can't come in and buy it all out," she said.

Koveleski said she may make more trips to get the material in those limited amounts. But she said the prices have gone up, and she's not sure what the impact on her

See FLEECE, page 4

ATTENTION

Trash pick-up for household customers will be done on Sunday, December 24th and as usual January 1st, Thanks.
D&E Sanitation

Amazing Juggling Comedy Checked Jackets

Mahoosuc Arts & Sunday River Ski Resort present:

Live from New York... **The Gizmo Guys**
Wed., Dec. 27 at 7:00 p.m. Summit Hotel, Sunday River

Tickets-The Summit Hotel, Snow Cap Inn, Welcome Center at Sunday River or at Preb's Pharmacy, Bethel or by calling 824-3575 for reservations.

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THE BETHEL ROTARY CLUB'S CHRISTMAS FOR CHILDREN

Is over the top!

This year's fund drive has raised more than \$7,200 to purchase Christmas toys for local youngsters.

Thanks to all those who donated, the fund drive reached its goal in record time this year -- ensuring a merry Christmas morning for scores of boys and girls.

The Bethel Rotarians extend their sincerest thanks, and their holiday best wishes, to all the generous people who made this year's campaign such a rousing success.

Merry Christmas!

HOLIDAY DEADLINES

PLEASE NOTE: All display, classified advertising, Sunday River This Week advertising and news items are due at The Bethel Citizen **NOON on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22nd & 29th** for the December 27th & January 3rd issues **we will be closed on Monday, December 25th & Monday, January 1st - HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

Attention:
Bethel Senior Citizen Christmas Party
Scheduled for
Wednesday, Dec. 20
has been
RESCHEDULED
to Friday, Dec. 22
at the Bethel Inn
5:30 Social, 6:30 Dinner

Dr. Leonard Shaw's
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to January 1st.

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Letters

A LITTLE MORE CONSIDERATION

To the Editor:

Before I start, I want to make it clear that this letter is not meant to show hatred to anyone or show favoritism toward anyone. And I welcome any responses.

About a month ago, my grandmother and I were on our way into town to do some errands, when unexpectedly my car broke down. We got it to the Irving garage in town, where the mechanics assessed it and declared it unsafe to drive at that point. It was pouring rain out, a couple of days before one of the floods. All of our family was either at work, at school, or out of town so we had no one to call for a ride home. So my grandmother asked a police officer, who was in the garage at the time and had heard the mechanic tell us the car was undrivable, for a ride home. We live just four miles out of town. She was denied this simple favor and became very upset and told the mechanic to grease up the wheel bearing and put them back in so we could get at least a little closer to home. At this point, the closer we got to home, the less we would have to walk in the downpour outside. She was told her request was unreasonable and that the Police Department was not a taxi service.

A few nights ago, a lady and her boy were locked out of their pickup truck. The temperature was close to if not zero, maybe below with the harsh wind blowing. They waited in the cold for about an hour and were having trouble getting someone to unlock the truck. Another police officer, not the same who refused to help my grandmother and I, tried to speed up the process for the mother and her son to get help. It would be another hour or so before they could get anyone to help. The officer, realizing the danger of staying in the cold with no one at home to come get them, offered them a ride home. He showed compassion and concern for the family.

Now, for those of you who are unfamiliar with my family, we are the survivors of the late police chief Robert Stearns, who died in October 1988. As many of you may recall, his picture and badges were given to the town for display in the Bethel Police Department. While his picture is hanging on the wall, I believe he is looking down on all of us asking himself, "Why has the mission and obligation of police officers changed so much in the last 10 years?" I don't know the answer to this question, but I do know that the definition of a police officer is to serve, protect, and ensure the safety of our community. My grandfather was one of the most caring, considerate, and compassionate people I have known. But he didn't leave these traits at the door when he reported for duty, he took them with him. By using his outstanding knowledge of the law and his extremely lovable personality, he became one of the most loved and respected officers in his profession.

This definition shows that in fact the police department is a service all of us are paying for and that all of us should be able to receive the benefits of. I am not writing this letter to get the two compassionate and considerate officers in trouble. I am writing this letter to commend them for their actions and ask them to rub off some of the most important characteristics of a law enforcer onto their co-workers. They deserve a pat on the back and encouragement to keep it up. I am a firm believer that since my grandfather retired, the Police Department has not been the same. It is kind of too bad. If more officers could just use their common sense, compassion, and sense of judgment better, they might get more positive feedback. It would be a start to getting it back to the old way. I am not finding fault with them, just stressing my opinion. In general, the attitudes and personalities of police officers has changed. Hopefully, someday it will be back the way it was.

In conclusion, a question, the reason for this whole letter. What is the difference between an elderly lady with arthritis, so bad at times that it is difficult to walk from the store to the post office, asking for a four-mile ride home in the pouring rain and a woman and her son being locked out of their truck asking for a four-mile ride home on a freezing cold night with a harsh breeze?

*Dawn A. Seames
Bethel*

CHRISTMAS IN OUR HOME TOWN

To the Editor:

This is Christmas in my home town -- meeting and being passed by cars and vans loaded with skiers, seeing the sun shining on snow-covered trees, using lots of windshield wash, helping grandchildren build a "snow person." We look at it and one grandchild says, "Gramma, that's very ugly!"

While grocery shopping, how the little ones love pushing their own shopper's cart. Then a little one loses a helium-filled balloon which goes sailing up to the store ceiling, bobbing among the light fixtures. Tears and cries of dismay. The store clerk calls for management. Management comes -- gets a ladder and rescues the wayward balloon and makes a little girl very happy.

Makes a mom and grandma feel good, too. The spirit of Christmas in our home town. Thank you, Rod.

*Jean Grover
Locke Mills*

911 -- THERE WHEN WE NEEDED IT

To the Editor:

On Wednesday, Dec. 13, my wife returned home to find a house rapidly filling with smoke. She quickly speed-dialed our neighbors but no one was home. Not knowing what to do, she called 911. What a relief to have it answered immediately by an obvious professional who reassured her that help was "on the way." In less than five minutes a person arrived who instantly controlled the situation by making sure that the electricity was in truth, switched off. Our hot water tank had gone into melt-down and for some reason the circuit breaker that controlled it had not interrupted the power to that device until it was almost too late. At the same time that this person had removed the main threat, three more people arrived, prepared to fight a fire.

What a tremendous relief to know that even though we live seven miles from the town of Bethel (back in the pucksies), help is indeed right there!

Thank you 911.

*Jim and Hamako Melroy
Newry*



SCHOOL BUS BURNS—A fire last Wednesday caused about \$10,000 worth of damage to a 1984 SAD44 school bus. Head mechanic Tink Konkright (shown here examining the damage) said the bus was parked next to the bus garage at about 9 a.m. when the fire was discovered. The bus had been sitting for about 45 minutes after returning from its morning run to West Bethel, he said. The flames blew out the front windshield. A passing driver alerted the bus garage personnel, who were able to put it out with fire extinguishers. Konkright said the fire appeared to have been electrical, starting near the headlight switch. Transportation supervisor Sonny Blake said it may cost more to fix the bus than it's worth, since it was due for replacement in three years. Meanwhile, a spare 1982 bus is being used in its place. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

LIVING NATIVITY THANKS

To the Editor:

Every year the Living Nativity brings Bethel Citizens together to present the Christmas Story. For five years we have had the pleasure of being a part of that. A very warm thank you to the Bethel Inn for keeping us warm, to Pastor Richard Mowrey, to Poph Corner Farms for the sheep (always a treat), to the Shepherds, Angels and Wisemen, and to the DeMarcos for being our Holy Family.

*Carl and Nancy Hansen
Bethel*

HOOPS THANKS

To the Editor:

On Sunday, Nov. 26, Telstar High School played host to the third annual Western Maine Youth Basketball League Round Robin Tournament.

I would like to thank the following people for making the tournament a huge success:

All the coaches and players of the following teams: Dixfield, Farmington, Rumford, Telstar, Turner, and Wilton.

Marjorie Osgood, Tara Durgin, Cindy Kane Olson, Barb Sabin, Deb Dohrmann, Gail Brooks, Pat Donovan, and Marilyn Howe for their work handling the concessions, Erin Osgood for her help with admission and 50/50 raffle tickets, Jim Osgood, David Berry, Vernon Davis, Jim Lunney, Bill Caddigan, Tim O'Connor, Drew Webster, and Keith Stevens for their officiating expertise. Also, I would like to thank Alex Johnson, Greg Koch, Will Seames, Danny Stevens, and Dan Zinchuk for their help keeping score.

Last, but certainly not least, a big thanks to Tim Brooks and Mark Thurlow for their tireless effort in this tournament.

*Jeff Philbrick
Executive Director, WMYBL*

HELP FOR MENTALLY ILL INMATES

To the Editor:

Since August 1995 a grant has been implemented at the Oxford County Sheriff's Department from the Maine Sheriff's Association on the Mental Health Initiative. Working through Tri-County Mental Health, who has developed an in-house master social worker in the Oxford County Jail to work with individuals who have a mental illness and are involved with the correctional system, I am a firm believer that we need to identify our people within our correctional institutions who are suffering from mental illness and that they obtain treatment.

Some services are provided inside the jail, some work is follow-up work after a person leaves the jail and some services are in the form of collaboration with probation officers, judges, lawyers, law enforcement officers, social services, clergy persons, family members and other interested parties working to obtain appropriate mental health services for the mentally ill offender.

Problems of the mentally ill are sometimes exacerbated by the abuse of alcohol or other drugs, unemployment, poverty, lack of affiliation and homelessness. Case management for the mentally ill offender addresses these issues as well as arranging for emergency crisis plans, rehab counseling and medication management. The lack of financial resources often prevents the mentally ill offender from seeking psychiatric help, from purchasing medication, contracting for laboratory work and seeking other needed services. The MSA Mental Health Initiative calls for working with family members to gain access to needed services, whatever they may be.

Even though the MSA Mental Health Initiative has been in existence in Oxford County for just a few months, the importance of case management and medication management for individuals after they leave jail has already been realized to a significant extent.

I encourage family members of individuals with mental illness who are involved with the legal system to contact Donald MacInnis (743-7591), the mental health program director at the Oxford County Jail, or Captain Ernie Martin (743-5870), the Oxford County Jail administrator, with any pertinent information that will contribute to achieving the goals of the MSA Mental Health Initiative. Without violating the rules of confidentiality, the more documentation and knowledge about the incarcerated individual's treatment history and current mental status that can be provided to jail administration, the more quickly and effectively service providers will be able to begin to work for obtaining appropriate services.

Families in Oxford County who have a family member with a mental illness involved with the legal system or who are interested in forming a support group are encouraged to contact Mr. MacInnis at the above number or at Tri-County in South Paris (743-7911). Ideas for expanding and improving the MSA Mental Health Initiative are welcome.

*Lloyd "Skip" Herrick
Sheriff, Oxford County*



SAYS UNPLOWED IS UNSAFE

Robin Mills wants Oxford County to go the extra mile to help her three-year-old son, Mason, who has had medical problems throughout his short life, and is due to have surgery in January. Mills has lived for two years on the Songo Pond Road in Albany -- one-eighth mile beyond where the county plow truck turns around. She wants the road plowed all the way to her house, and she pled her case to the Oxford County Commissioners yesterday. "I have a letter from the surgeon saying it's imperative that the road be plowed to allow access to emergency medical services," Mills said. She said in all, the county considers three-quarters of a mile of the road leading to her house to be abandoned because it has not been maintained on a steady basis. With that definition, the county does not take responsibility for plowing. But officials did agree Monday to plow the first half-mile stretch of the road, now that a nearby landowner has made a turnaround available for the plow truck. Mills had been paying to have both sections of the road cleared. She said Tuesday afternoon that the county commissioners told her at their meeting they would go to Albany to look at the eighth-mile road section. Here, Mills and Mason stand where the abandoned section of road begins.

THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

The Bethel Historical Society's 1995 Annual Fund Campaign passed the \$8,000 level this week from 313 donors. Among the most recent contributors are: Harlan and Gertrude Hutchins, Bethel; Muriel Brinck Thompson, West Springfield, Mass., in memory of Evelyn Brinck Cockburn; Will and Mary Leland, Berkeley Heights, N.J.; Dr. Marvin and Tineke Onwina, Bethel, in memory of Hendrik Zwolsman; Christine W. Bennett, Westbrook, in memory of Mildred C. Thomas; Dr. Donald M. Christie, Jr., Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Elizabeth Blake, Bethel; Barbara and Rudolf Honkala, Bethel, in memory of William S. and Ruth C. Hastings; Anne G. Troy, Bryant Pond, in memory of Mildred C. Thomas; Colwyn and Judith Haskell, Bethel; Dana and Mildred Jackson, Bethel. Much appreciation is expressed to all of the above. It is still possible to make a tax-deductible contribution in honor or in memory of some individual, couple or group before the end of the year. Donations should be sent to the society at PO Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

Those still wishing to take advantage of the society's annual 25-percent-off sale in the museum store should visit the Dr. Moses Mason House during regular hours, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. or by appointment at other times.

December is membership month at the Bethel Historical Society. Gift certificates are available for those wishing to give a gift membership in the society. For further details, please call the society office at 824-2908.

Another issue of the society's quarterly, "The Bethel Courier," will be sent out soon. Anyone wishing a complimentary issue should call or write the society.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Lambri Construction Company of Fryeburg announced it hoped to construct 300 to 400 townhouses along the Bear River in Newry starting spring 1986. The former Locke Mills Legion Hall (now Mt. Mica Rarities) was severely damaged by fire while it was being used as a workshop by Al Saunders. Marriage: Rebecca Noyes and Stephen Hastings. Deaths: Harry Poland, Vesta Nelson, Lesperard Phister.

20 years ago: Cooperators of the Oxford County Soil and Water District elected Dana Douglass, Jr., as district supervisor for three years. MSAD44 superintendent, Basil Kinney, announced intent to retire in June 1976. Norman Ness, Jr., of Dover, N.H., was hired as Bethel's town manager. Births: Joshua Baker, Elizabeth Gasser. Marriages: Evelyn Gurschick and Albert Bell, Barbara York and Michael Stone. Death: Gerard Williams.

30 years ago: Two families were left homeless when flames spread quickly through a two-apartment dwelling owned by Mrs. Clyde Brooks on the Middle Intervale Road. Robert C. Felt, Bethel native, was appointed Farm Superintendent at Maine State Prison, Thomaston. Participating as shepherds in the annual Living Nativity Scene were: James Perkins, Stephen Hastings, Allan Walker, Phillip Rolfe, and John Thurston. Death: Elbert Briggs.

40 years ago: The Gould Academy Outing Club was maintaining a skating rink on the girls' athletic field. Bethel fire alarm signals were: one blast of siren followed by the same signal three times on the air whistle -- within village limits; two blasts of the siren followed by two blasts three times on air whistle -- outside the village; and five blasts of the air whistle -- call for help in any emergency. Death: Bertha Chase.

50 years ago: Nearly 100 boys and girls were participating in recreational ski classes at Gould Academy's expanded ski trails at the Devil's Kitchen area and on the slope behind Gehring Hall. The Brown Company (now James River Co.) of Berlin, N.H., led in the making of gas mask filters during the war. Deaths: Simon Farr, Dr. Bertram Packard.

100 years ago: Items under "Bethel Locals": "Our photographer would like a few cords of dry wood in exchange for photographs." "Captain Douglas of the steamer Cambridge, has moved his family to Swan's Corner, and will run the engine at Thurston's mill." "George Hapgood, our popular local merchant, and Ardon Tilton, of butter factory fame, went up Chapman Brook last Friday, and had the good fortune to bring home one of the denizens of the forest." Death: Allison Bartlett.

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Briefly

Bosnia servicemen sought

BETHEL--The Mundt-Allen Legion Post in Bethel is requesting the names and addresses of any local service people who have been assigned to duty in Bosnia. Brian Strickland of Post 81 said the names and addresses would be posted in area businesses, so that residents could send postcards or letters. He said that in 1991 almost 7,000 pieces of mail were sent to over 20 local residents stationed in the Persian Gulf. Anyone with a name to share may call Strickland at 665-2412, or Jeri Greenwell at 824-2532. The information may also be sent to Strickland at P.O. Box 55, Bethel 04217.

Chief to appeal suspension

BETHEL--Police Chief Dale Bellman will appeal his recent two-week, without-pay suspension. The chief was suspended by Town Manager Madeleine Henley, for reasons which have not yet been made public. Bellman is appealing the decision to the town Board of Selectmen. The board is scheduled to meet Thursday (Dec. 21) to hear the appeal. Such personnel matters are usually handled in secret session, but Bellman has the option of requesting a public session. He said Tuesday that he would make a decision about going public following a meeting today with his lawyer.

Rail siding in Gilead OK'd

BETHEL--The Bethel Planning Board has agreed to amend the conditions of approval of the Bethel Station project in order to allow the railroad freight siding to be located in Gilead. The new siding replaces the former siding in Bethel, which had to be moved to make way for the project. The original conditions of approval called for the new siding to also be located in Bethel, but due to what the parties involved characterize as miscommunication, the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Railroad and Maine Department of Transportation built the replacement just over the Bethel-Gilead town line. At last week's Planning Board meeting, planner Reggie Brown said he felt comfortable the full intent of the condition had been met, even though the new siding was not located in Bethel. The approval is conditional on Bethel Code Enforcement Officer Norman Putnam finding that the new site presents no safety concerns.

Greenwood expects bridge grant

GREENWOOD--Selectmen expected to receive final notification yesterday that the town would receive a \$20,000 state grant to finish repairs on the Kendall Brook bridge, in the Irish Neighborhood. Chair Marie Bartlett said she had been verbally notified by AVCOG that the grant had been approved. The state directed the town to fix the bridge, which had had its tonnage limit reduced to 3 tons. "It wasn't enough to support fire trucks," said Bartlett. The town ran out of money after fixing one abutment. Selectmen planned to hold a hearing and special Town Meeting within two weeks to accept the funds and begin the work. Bids for the job have been put out and are due in on Thursday.

Andover studies government change

ANDOVER--A committee has been formed to study whether the town should adopt a five-person Board of Selectmen and/or a town manager form of government. The town currently has three selectmen. Members of the study committee are Kathy Williamson, Brian Mills, Jane Rich, Ed Witt and Fred Emerson.

Snow and accidents Saturday

BETHEL--There was a flurry of accidents on snow-covered area roads on Saturday. The Jaws of Life were used to remove Chris Rose, 30, of Bethel, following an afternoon accident on the Sunday River Road. Karen Tegan of North Andover, Mass., was slowing in the southbound lane to make a left turn into the Sports Outlet shop when she crossed the center line into Rose's path. Rose was admitted to Stephens Memorial Hospital with chest injuries and was listed in stable condition as of Tuesday, according to a hospital spokesman. Two other accidents occurred on Route 2 Saturday, with no serious injuries reported.

Ski Mt. Abram opens

GREENWOOD--What a difference a year makes, says Rob Hodgkins, Mt. Abram's marketing director. The mountain opened for skiing this past weekend. "Last year at this time we had five trails open, and no natural snow. Now we have 30 trails and the snow fields open," Hodgkins said Tuesday. "We had an absolutely fantastic weekend, with a great crowd despite Saturday's weather. It's a nice Christmas present." Hodgkins said a new trail has been added this year -- TNT Version 2.1, an intermediate mogul trail. He said some other trails have been split into sections to allow better reporting of open trails. "We now have 35 trails, and we're celebrating our 35th anniversary," he said.

Plastic lumber co. comes to Maine

SACO--A manufacturer of furniture and fixtures made with recycled plastic "lumber" has begun operations in Maine. Conversion Products, Inc. has relocated from New Hampshire to the Saco Industrial Park. The company makes a range of products including park benches, picnic tables, flat locker room-style benches and trash receptacles. The lumber is rot-proof, highly resistant to cracking and splintering, and is impervious to water, salt, oil, chemicals, insects, and vandalism.

N.H. may get conservation plates

CONCORD, N.H.--With an increasing number of people considering themselves environmentalists, New Hampshire could join 22 other states with license plates dedicated to the cause. The optional license plates would raise about \$500,000 per year for state conservation, endangered species, historic and cultural programs. They would cost \$25 more than regular plates. "It's a way to raise money for important state programs that get either no money or very little money, and do it in a way that doesn't raise taxes," said Rep. Martha Fuller Clark, D-Portsmouth, who sponsored the conservation plate bill. The state Fish and Game Department has designed four preliminary sketches for the plates, featuring moose, finch, falcon and butterfly, but those could change as residents let their preferences be known.

Buses only in Acadia Park?

BAR HARBOR--Acadia National Park visitors may have to get used to riding buses within the popular tourist destination, whose roads have become clogged by cars during the summer. "I don't think it's that far off," Deputy Park Superintendent Len Boninchock said Thursday. Boninchock is preparing a conceptual plan for public transit in the park that will be presented Jan. 31. Park, state transportation and local municipal officials agreed in a meeting recently that traffic congestion on park roads has become a problem during the summer. The park gets about 3 million visitors a season, which translates into about 1 million vehicles streaming around the Loop Road.

Help for "skier's thumb"

WASHINGTON, D.C.--Radiologists think they can lend surgeons a helping hand by preventing unnecessary operations for a condition called "skier's thumb." Computerized pictures could show which cases need surgery and which don't, said Dr. Charles P. Ho, a physician in Redwood City, Calif. The injury happens when the skier's hand is trapped on a pole that is stuck in the ground. Ho told a recent meeting of the Radiological Society of North America. As the moving hand is jerked away from the pole, the thumb is caught behind the pole, then pulled down and to the rear of the hand, he said. This rips the ligament in the web space between the thumb and the index finger, he said. If the ligament is still attached to the bone, it can heal by itself after the hand is put in a cast, Ho said. But if the ligament has come free of the bone, surgeons may have to reattach it to make it heal properly, he said. However, the study shows magnetic resonance imaging can be used to make a proper diagnosis, since it is better than X-rays in telling ligaments from other internal structures.

From the Bethel Police log:

Angels tread heavily

At 1:52 p.m. on Dec. 17 a caller reported hearing people walking around on the second floor of the Cole Block Building. Police contacted the subjects, who said they were picking up clothes and props for the Bethel Living Nativity.

Thursday, Dec. 14

At 12:30 a.m., the Oxford County Sheriff's Department requested police be on the lookout for a Blazer or Bronco-type vehicle involved in a possible hit and run assault and driving to endanger complaint on Route 5. The sheriff's department is investigating the incident.

Saturday, Dec. 16

At 12:50 p.m., a Railroad Street Big Apple employee reported that two males had entered the store and one tried to buy beer for the other. The clerk refused to sell it to him. The would-be purchaser became upset, and the clerk requested that he leave. Police responded, but the subjects were gone when the officer arrived.

At 5 p.m., a man reported two intoxicated subjects behind the Four Seasons Inn. They were gone when police arrived.

At 9:37 p.m., a Bethel woman reported a vehicle had just been in her driveway and was now parked in front of her residence. The complainant said she had been having problems with her tenant, soon to be an ex-tenant. Police spoke with the subjects, who said they were waiting for friends who lived in the apartment. They said they were asked to help with the moving, but the tenants had not showed up. The subjects said they were about to leave. A second complainant asked police to notify the ex-tenants they would not be allowed on the property.

Sunday, Dec. 17

At 12:15 a.m., police observed a large group gathered outside the Sunday River Brewing Company. When the officer came closer the crowd dispersed. Several male subjects were starting to fight but they stopped. No assault occurred and no complaint was filed.

At 8:04 p.m., a Bethel Irving employee reported that the occupants of a vehicle in the parking lot appeared to be smoking marijuana. The vehicle departed toward town before police arrived, and a patrol of the area turned up nothing.

At 11:10 p.m., a Bethel Park Apartments' resident reported a loud party had been going on all night at another apartment. Police contacted the tenant and issued a verbal warning. If another complaint was received, she was warned, she and all her guests would be summonsed for disorderly conduct. The tenant said there would be no further complaints.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log, but does not include all reports of police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies. An answering machine takes calls when an officer is not in the office.

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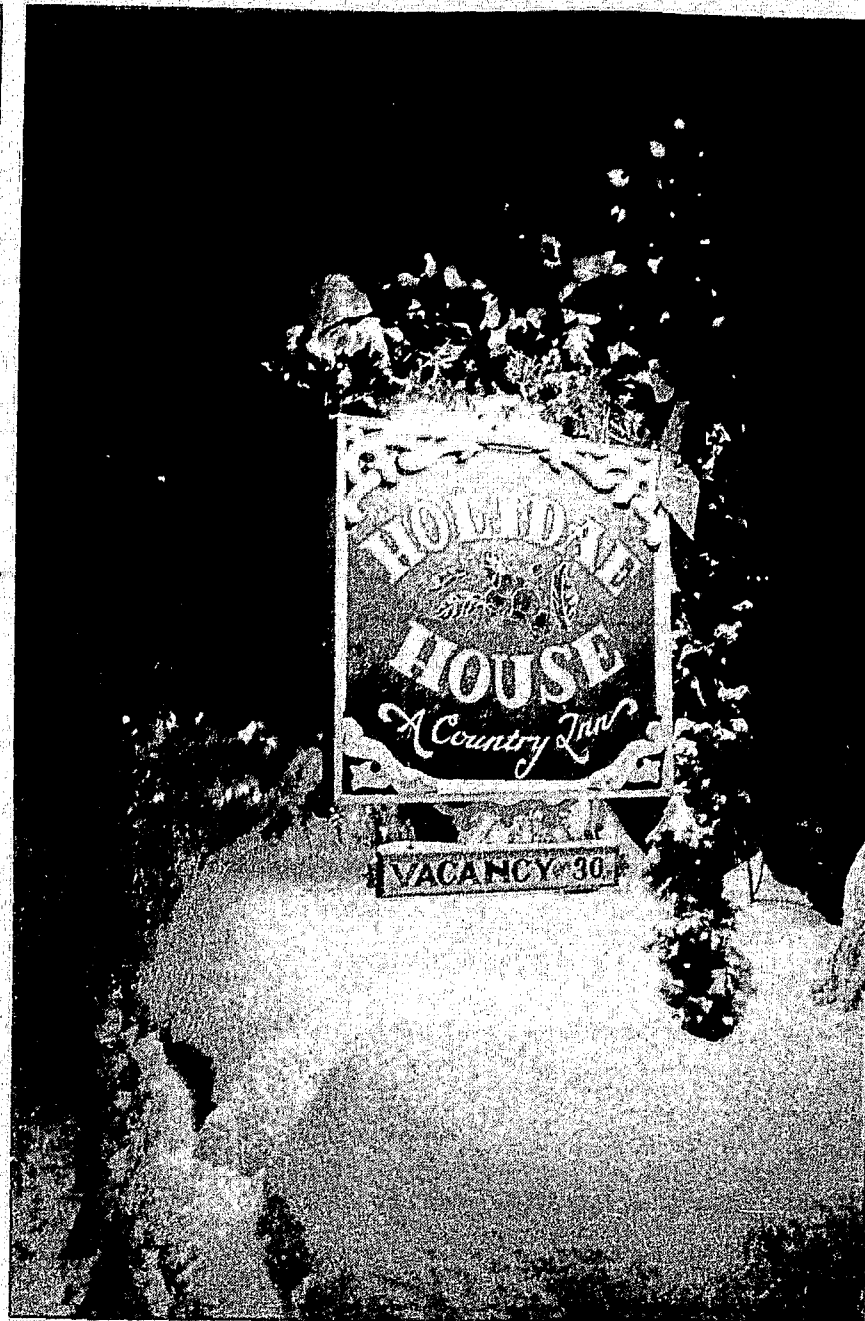
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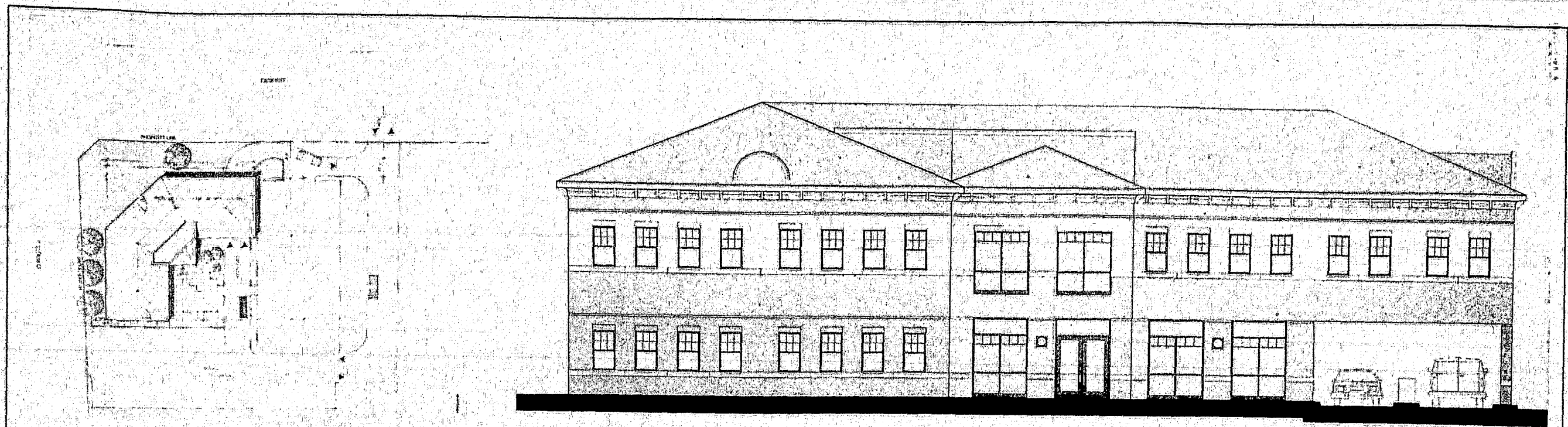
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NEW BETHEL STATION BUILDING PLANNED—The Bethel Planning Board has given conditional approval for a third Bethel Station building. The two-story, 14,584-square-foot structure will be located at the corner of the Parkway and Route 2. In the drawing above left, Route 2 is to the left of the new building and the Parkway is above it. Developer Heinie Merrill said he has not yet decided what finishing material will be used on the new building. The first tenant is to be a Norway Savings Bank branch, with a drive-through teller and ATM (far right).

Stucco

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"We were sold that it was going to be brick," Feeney said. Howe, who is executive director of the Bethel Historical Society, noted that Bethel has "never had a stucco building in town of any significant size. This is a change in our character."

But the board has no authority to force brick, or any other more traditional finish, on the developers, and Merrill indicated that the decision of what material to use would be a bottom-line call.

He also claimed the developers had spent a great deal of money on the design and materials of Bethel Station buildings, in order to keep them consistent with the architecture of a traditional New England village.

"We're going to try to do what we need to do," Merrill said, "but as I've said many times, the project needs to be economically viable."

Ironically, at a February meeting of the Planning Board, it had been Howe who moved to allow the finish for the already-approved Casablanca Building to be changed from brick to stucco and wood.

Howe said later that Merrill had claimed the stucco on the Casablanca Building would have the appearance of brick.

But it doesn't look at all like brick, Howe said, "and I'd hate to see that mistake repeated, especially on a cornerstone building like this."

Many loose ends

Merrill said he needed conceptual approval before going ahead and spending money for detailed construction drawings.

The board voted unanimously to grant that approval, but noted that many issues must be resolved before construction can commence.

The conditions of approval include: fire marshal review and construction permit, a statement from the Bethel Water District that there is sufficient water flow for firefighting, a complete drainage plan, plumbing permit, and a safety review by the Bethel Fire Chief.

Winkie

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kill her." Cole said an alternative might be to drive the moose into the woods toward Mt. Abram. Lewis and a fish and game biologist tried that -- with humorous results.

"The two of them tried to herd her. They shot off their guns, and got her to go toward the woods."

"Then they started back. But the moose went around another way. By the time they got back, she was curled up on the lawn," Cole said.

But whether the youngster will be allowed to remain here is still undecided. A state biologist was in Bethel Tuesday to examine the situation and to decide what's best for the moose.

Wildlife experts don't like to see wild animals become dependent on humans. "You don't gain anything when you encourage human contact with a wild animal," said Lewis. "In the long run something bad usually happens to the animal."

Lewis said the young moose was born this spring and lost its mother,

who died either from an accident or of natural causes.

The youngster is probably coming into town because the trees in the nearby woods are mature and too high for her to reach, he said.

"But shrubs in the village are at just the right height," Lewis said.

Cole's neighbor, Linda Saunders, has suggested that if the moose must be moved, rather than dart it, local people could try again to drive it deep into the woods -- in the hope that it will find another spot with available food.

Saunders had already found a number of volunteers willing to make such a drive.

She has also lined up loggers who will bring in tree tips and boughs for the youngster -- to keep her from devastating local shrubs.

And Cole, not waiting for wildlife officials to make a decision, has gone ahead and had a fence built to try to keep the moose away from some of her shrubbery.

"I'm resigned to her being here," Cole said.

Fleece

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long-term business may be.

"I want to try to pick up more wholesale business. I have appointments to meet with some people, and I'm not sure what prices to quote them," she said.

For area retail stores that sell Polartec items the effect appears to be minimal.

True North Adventureware in Bethel buys some items from Wight. But co-owner Jonathan Goldberg said they are not a large portion of its stock. He estimates his overall stock is about 10-15 percent Polartec.

"And some of that comes from mills out West," he said.

At Keenan Auction Company manager Mary Ellen Durrell said a major part of her clothing is Polartec, so she's relieved to hear of Malden Mill's plans. She said she had not talked to her distributors, and wasn't sure how she might be affected.

She said she has a good supply of items for now.

Bridgton back on line

Meanwhile, things are looking brighter for workers at Bridgton Knitting Mills, which provides Malden Mills with its Polartec raw material. A third of the work force was called back to work Monday, following an initial shutdown after the Methuen fire.

Water/ground Temps.

The Bethel Water District reports the following water and ground temperatures as of Monday, Dec. 18.

Water	40 degrees
Ground	
-3 feet	34 degrees
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Andover



by Karen McKay
The First Congregational Church will have the Last Sunday of Advent Service on

Dec. 24 at 10 a.m. All are invited to the Christmas Eve Candlelight Service to be held at 7 p.m. The Sunday School will have their pageant and there will be special music by the choir. A reception will be held following in the CEB.

The Calvary Congregational Church has several special events, they will be Christmas Caroling on Friday, Dec. 22, meeting at the church at 5:30 p.m. The Christmas Eve Service will be held from 5:30 until 6:15 p.m. All are welcome.

The Historical Society is taking orders for holiday shoppers. Their Lovejoy Bridge mugs, decorated with a sketch of the covered bridge, are selling for \$5 each. The first shipment of the limited keepsakes is almost sold out, a new shipment is expected this week in time for holiday gift giving. The 1996 Calendars are selling fast, just a few are still available. Please contact a society member to reserve your Andover souvenirs: Bev Swan at 392-4742; Trudy Akers at 392-3157; or Norma Farrington at 392-2652.

The Andover Public Library recently received a \$1,000 grant from the Maine Charity Foundation Fund. The monies will be used toward purchasing two dehumidifiers and to provide shelv-

ing in the basement.

Raffle winners at the recent Elementary School Christmas Fair were: Bev Swan -- breakfast for two at the Covered Wagon; Esther Pew -- \$25 certificate at Andover Automotive; Barry Swasey -- dinner for two at L'Auberge donated by Bill Barter; Christy Carver -- Raggedy Ann and Andy donated by Joan Zitoli; Jane Vogt -- snowglobe donated by Sue Mills; Abby Mills -- 16" pizza at Mills Market; Katie Grover -- haircut at Visible Changes; Naomi Leamed -- breakfast for two at Addie's; Megan Meisner -- two bales of hay donated by Chet Gammon; Clayton Smith -- two day passes at Mt. Abram; Ben Sablin -- Lovejoy Bridge mug donated by Bev Swan; Roger Belanger -- Lovejoy Bridge mug donated by Bev Swan; Vickie Meisner -- hall cord of wood donated by F.D. Gammon and Sons; Carol Stuart -- two dinners at the All Seasons Cafe.

The Andover Elementary School Quilt raffle will continue until Valentine's Day. Tickets are available at the school and the public library.

Michael Planter was recently made Soldier of the Year for the 3rd Brigade 29th Infantry Division of the Maryland National Guard. Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Planter.

Jennifer Hutchins and John Vitale were united in marriage on Dec. 9, 1995 at the First Congregational Church in Andover. Pastor Jane Rich performed the morning ceremony. Tammy Hall of New York was maid of honor, sisters Kimberly Bows and Beth Hutchins were bridesmaids. Anthony Vitale was best man, ushers were Jamie Richard of Long Island, N.Y. and Eric Hutchins. Jennifer is the

daughter of Arthur and Jeannette Hutchins of East Andover. John is the son of Jeanne Lindemann of Springfield, Fla. and the late John B. Vitale. Crystal Matthews was the flower girl. Anthony Vitale, son of the groom, was the ring bearer. Guests attended from Florida, Portland, Kittery, Long Island, N.Y., Windham, Bethel, Rumsford, Mexico, Pemaquid, Auburn and Dixfield.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Judith Grover Tent No. 17 Daughters of Union Veterans met at the Grange Hall on

Monday, Dec. 11 for a regular meeting, election of officers and a Christmas party. Sally Sawyer filled in as senior vice president. Correspondence included a note from

Dept. Pres. Sally Sawyer and Alice Wardwell. Forty-two dollars was turned in by JoAnn Crockett for the "Save Maine's Colors" fund. It was voted to give Mark Vail a list of Civil War veterans for the paper he is doing. Next meeting is installation of officers with a 6 p.m. supper. Sally told about a pattern for sleeping bags for the homeless. A tasting party and exchange of gifts were held. Christmas cards are to be sent. Fourteen members were present.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met at the American Legion Hall in Locke Mills last Thursday for a meeting, election of officers and a Christmas Party with exchange of gifts and cards. A delicious ham dinner was served by the Legion Auxiliary. Christmas carols were sung by Mary Lyons playing the piano and Ernestine Riley and Olive Risko leading the singing. Gifts were brought for the Christmas

for Tots and also food for the food pantry.

Curator Larry Billings, of the Woodstock Historical Society recently noted some popular developments in history. Curator Billings noted he has watched the cable TV series on both the Civil War and the Revolutionary War. He observes "both the reenactments and commentary by famous historians are excellent." Larry has also seen programs on ancient Greece, Rome, Egypt and the Holy Land. In addition, Larry claims writing on local history is also starting to burgeon. Full length history and pictorial books on nearly every town in Maine "are beginning to proliferate." Then, there is news on current events. "I believe," said Larry, "CNN and public radio are the champs in the area of news coverage," he claims, and he encourages everyone to keep up with developments. Curator Billings feels all these developments are extremely beneficial to historical societies in general. The Historical Society is an organization dedicated to the public good.

Guests at the Hoyt household have been Gwenn and Bob Hoyt, along with Maggie and Joseph Hoyt.

Jimmy Knights is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Bethel

The Bethel Senior Citizens' Christmas Party, scheduled for tonight at the Bethel Inn, has been cancelled and rescheduled for Friday, Dec. 22.

Eric Gunther of Nashville, Tenn., celebrated Thanksgiving with Loretta Lynn and family at their ranch in Hurricane Mills, Tenn. Eric will be traveling to Charlotte, N.C. to spend a few days and celebrate Christmas with Jeri Tate.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

Floribel Haines will celebrate her birthday on Dec. 24. Her address is: Ledgerview Nursing Home, West Paris, ME 04289.

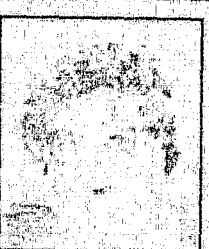
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nordahl were in Groton, Conn., to celebrate their grandson Keaton Brandt's second birthday on Dec. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Andrews of Fryeburg visited Florence Hastings on Dec. 12.

Peggy Coolidge and Ruth Bethel enjoyed a Christmas dinner at the American Legion Hall in Bethel on Dec. 12.

Mary Bean and Arthur Hertell attended a birthday dinner supper at John and Penny Kittredge's to celebrate Penny's birthday.

East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson

The East Stoneham Country Store had a good Christmas Sales day recently, and

I'm afraid I overindulged as usual. It's hard to pass up a good bargain when you see one. I got a pair of nice warm slippers for 99 cents, and they're just dandy. That was just one of the bargains. Christmas wrapping paper for 99 cents was another bargain.

Monday, at 1:30 a.m., we were awakened by the fire whistle in town and found that it was the Olde Rowley Inn, North Waterford, that was burning. It was a total loss. This had been a landmark for about 200 years. Paul and Kay Legare, who run and own Tut's Store went to the store and served hot coffee, etc., to

the firefighters.

Wednesday, Dec. 13, the Knight Riders Snowmobile Club met at the fire station for their December meeting with a potluck supper at 6 p.m., meeting at 7 p.m. and a Christmas party following. It was reported that a get-well bouquet had been sent to Frank Packard who has been ill. Alice reported on the raffle tickets sold and was pleased with the results. Cindy reported that some trees that were across the trails and bridge had been removed. The beavers are at work behind the "Betty Stearns" house, we were told. In other business, the club voted and seconded to donate \$50 to the Pine Tree Camp, \$100 to the East Stoneham Church, \$25 for Christmas baskets, \$100 to the Stoneham Rescue, and items for the new room at the Fire Station amounting to \$100. The club is very active and likes to do good for these worthy organizations.

The sliding party is planned for Saturday, Dec. 30 at 1 p.m. at the home of Earl and Jean Littlefield, with a potluck supper at Alice and Eben Harmon's at 5 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned by president Eben Harmon and next meeting will be Jan. 9. If good weather, the club plans to ride somewhere on the weekend of Jan. 6 and 7.

There were 20 members present there and everyone said it was a good supper, meeting and party. Don't forget, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War Hannah F. Richardson Tent No. 19, next meeting will be held at the home of Eleanor Nelson on Dec. 27.

To the newspaper staff and all you readers, have a Very Merry Christmas.

Dec. 24th Christmas Eve services at North Waterford will be held at 5 p.m., regular church services will be 10 a.m.

Albert and Eleanor Nelson had a nice visit Wednesday with his Aunt Jo and Uncle Roland McAllister in South Paris.

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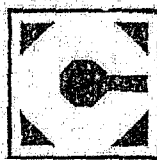
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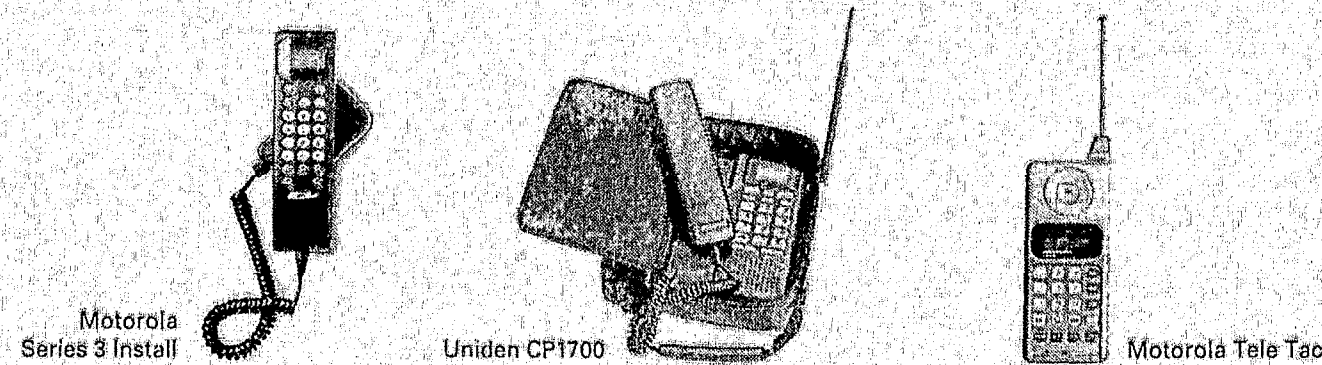
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North Woodstock



by Sue Silver
On Wednesday, the SAD44 kids had their first storm day because of the weather, so we took advantage and went sliding, as the afternoon was nice.

Linda Tyler was in Pinhook twice this week. Once on Thursday to take Emma to Norway and once on Saturday to do some Christmas shopping in Gorham with Joelle, Errol and me.

Kara Jacques, along with Joelle, Errol and I went to the lighting Friday night at Bryant Pond village. It was a shame to see such a low turnout of people, but the cold probably kept people inside. Santa arrived on the fire truck and then we went to the school for refreshments and crafts.

Jason Billings was in Boston for the day recently to attend a play and shop at Quincy Market.

Louise Chapman took Emma Billings to the doctor's in Norway on Friday.

I had a nice phone call Sunday from Sarah Chapman-Williams, who is in Fayetteville, N.C. She said the weather there had been rainy but warm. It was nice to hear from her.

The Silvers wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas.

South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing
The Forestdale School will hold a Christmas party for the students on Tuesday.

Laurene Appleby is baby-sitting for Bob and Shelly Hinkley for a while. This is a small baby and she's enjoying it.

Lonnie Hadley has a new collie puppy named Nija.

Joe Pete Appleby and Joshua Appleby stopped by Wednesday night. Lisa Mack shot a 143-pound deer with a muzzle loader the last day of hunting with a muzzle loader.

Dicky Baker had the misfortune of getting into an accident last weekend at Trap Corner. He wasn't hurt too badly but was shaken up and went to Stephens Memorial Hospital for a checkup and was released. I hope he's coming along fine now.

I was sorry to hear that Miriam Inman has been in the hospital recently. I haven't heard the last few days how she is but hope she's feeling better and can be home to enjoy the holidays with her family.

Ellsworth Hathaway and Harry Hutchinson have been working most of this week at Will's Mill. Ellsworth doesn't seem to slow up bad weather or not.

I traveled to Lewiston to the doctor Tuesday. I went through Hebron and the roads were quite slippery. I made it okay but was glad to get home. You have to expect bad roads this time of year and slow down.

Wednesday, I spent the whole day baking breads and cookies to give away. I kind of enjoy doing this and everything turned out really good for a change.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society, reports that the museum has exhibits of interest to everyone. The society searches for information on many topics. Some are of interest to everyone.

Happy Holidays to everyone from the Wing family.

North Newry



by Gil Sealey
Call to Worship was held at the Newry Community church on Sunday, Dec. 10, at 10 a.m., with Pastor Rodney Hanscom. It was a short service with a lot of musical overtones and readings. A special was given by Sylvia Wight. Scripture readings by Sue Wight, Owen Wight, Susie Bowie and another special by Gil Sealey, hymn singing by all and special singing by the Hanscom children, Jay Daniel, Eric James, Adam Paul and Kelsie Marie. Songs were accompanied by Nancy Anderson at the piano and organ. Gifts and cards were passed around. Cocoa, coffee and goodies were enjoyed with a lot of joyful conversation and "hugs."

The Newry Mothers Club met Monday, Dec. 11, at the Town Building with substitute president Gil Sealey opening the meeting with a Christmas prayer. Secretary-treasurer and sunshine lady, Olive Anderson, brought the finances up to date and reported on bills paid and cards received. The mystery prize was won by Gil. A thank-you letter from Amy and Roger Hanscom was read. Next meeting will be Jan 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Building, with Olive and Gil on the refreshment committee. Gifts were exchanged after the meeting.

Only four members of the "Newry Bowling Gang" went to the Oxford Lanes, Rumford, last week: Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Gil Sealey and Olive Anderson. Jim was a guest. On the overall scores, Karlene was high on the triples and singles, beating Betsy by one pin on the singles. She had three spares, Betsy had two strikes, Gil had one spare.

Last Wednesday evening, I was surprised by a delivery of a sunshine basket from the Nazarene Church. Thank you so much, and thanks to Juanita and Phil K. for bringing it to my door. Have a very lovely Christmas and God Bless You All.

I hear on T.V. that atheist Madalyn Murray O'Hair has been missing for quite a while. Maybe she has gone back to Hell to get more advice from the devil. She wants to stop Sunday worship services broadcasted either by radio or T.V. Also, she is campaigning to remove all Christmas programs and songs from school. Don't let her do this.

Happy Birthday to Nancy Wight on the 17th. I hope your birthday was just the way you hoped it would be -- a day when everything turned out perfectly. So I hope you will be happy all year through.

Greenwood City



by Collista Morgan
The country is more of a wilderness, more of wild solitude in winter than in summer. That's because the wild comes out. All the wild creatures become outlaws and they roam and come nearer to homes. Just before the snowstorm started on Dec. 9 I was visited by a flock of snow buntings. In large numbers buntings are generally considered to signify the approach of a hard winter. They are not particularly shy, but any unusual sound or motion will send them all into the air at once. They ride down from the far north with the wintry winds and whirl about open spaces. I have never seen them in the woods. They are often called hard-weather birds. I think they are beautiful if you can really see them.

The first snowflakes came about noon, when I was going to the bird feeder. I felt a cold, wet kiss on my face. By evening, the night had become a magic theater and the hemlocks a group of ballet dancers. A big spruce was hoop skirted and ruffled. Yet the moment was caught on a soundless stage.

All night only the snow was moving, falling straight down, like a lace curtain, sifting and clinging. All the world was white on white.

This was the way it was while Snow White slept, with the woods in emine and the world enchanted. Remember?

When at last the storm was over, it left behind a wedding-cake-morning; all trees etched and wearing frosted lace.

A lover of snow or-not, the world was beautiful.

"O winter world, O soft white world, In you I see God's touch, And feel that He created you For those He loves so much." -- Nelle Hardgrove

Nieta Hakala is very ill and is at C.M.M.C. in Lewiston. All of us are wishing her a good recovery.

David and Mary Holt of Norway came to the farm on Sunday. Ann and I joined them, when we returned from church. It was nice to have most of the family together.

Rena Curtis was in Lewiston one day last week to see her doctor. Evelyn Heikkinen and Urban Goodwin of Mexico called to see me on Friday.

High Street



West Paris by Russell Yates
Howdy, folks. This is now Tuesday morning, the 12th day of December, and it is rather on the cool side, but the sun is shining, so hopefully it will warm up some. I was gone yesterday so must get my news going this morning.

Last Monday, we were down street in the forenoon for errands and to pick up a few groceries that we had neglected to get earlier. We decided to clean out the snow in the afternoon. I got out the snow blower and the usual yearly thing happened. Right away the snow blower picked up a piece of board that broke one of the shear bolts to the auger that picks up the snow. It always tells me that I should have paid attention and removed the board before we got any snow.

Tuesday evening, we picked up Gale Butterfield in South Paris, as we were on our way to attend Oxford Pomona Grange at Oxford Grange Hall. This was our Christmas meeting and there was no supper before the meeting, but there were bountiful refreshments after the meeting. The attendance was a little on the low side, which I don't understand, as the traveling wasn't bad at all. Our lecturer, Stanley Howe, presented a very nice Christmas program and we had the usual exchange of gifts. We enjoyed the meeting and program very much.

Doc Merrill from South Paris called on us Thursday afternoon. Marsha Baxter visited Mary Lovejoy one day this last week.

There will be dances at Locke

Mills Town Hall on Dec. 16 and again on Dec. 23, with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. I have heard it said many times, "That music hath charm to soothe the savage." If that is correct, there should be many more Richard Felt Orchestras throughout the world.

West Paris Grange wishes to thank Sharon Silver of Bryant Pond for the lovely Christmas centerpiece which she donated to be given to some lucky person at the West Paris dance. When tickets were drawn, Beverly Damon from Norway was the lucky person to win the centerpiece, and she felt that their coming to the dance in a snowstorm had all been worthwhile.

The winter meetings of Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond will be held on Dec. 18, Jan. 15, Feb. 19, and March 18. These meetings will all be preceded by a 6:30 potluck supper. Come, but bring your pot.

Songo Pond



by Alice Kimball
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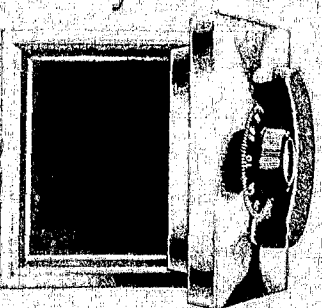
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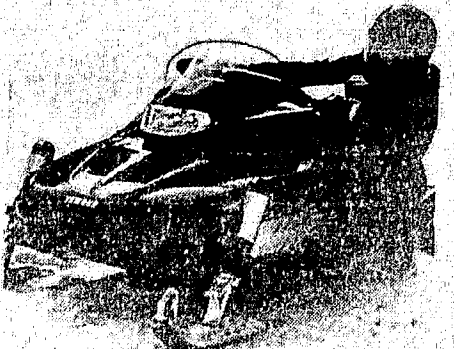


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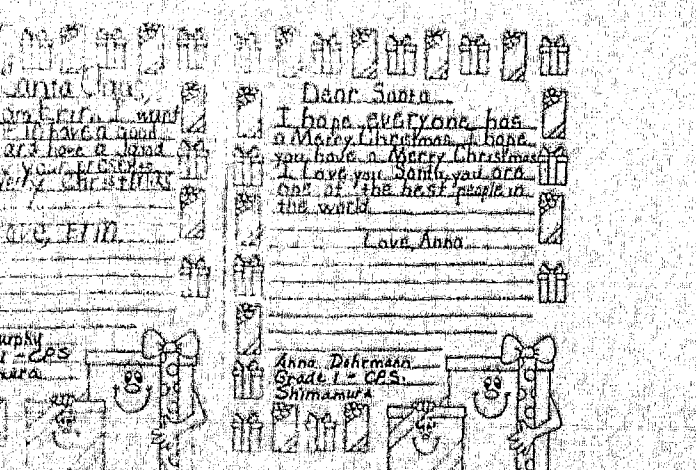
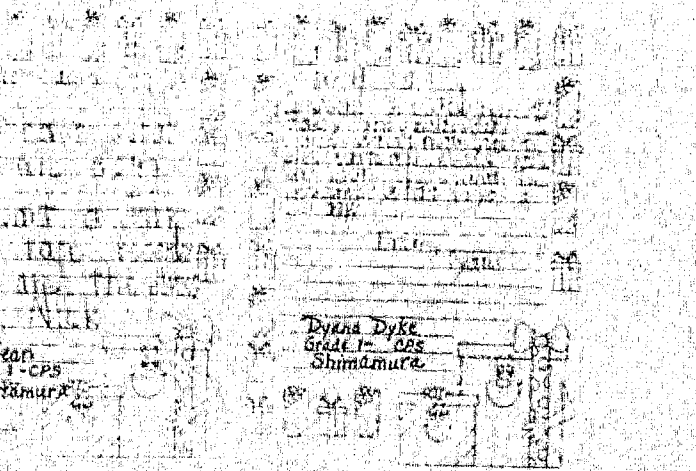
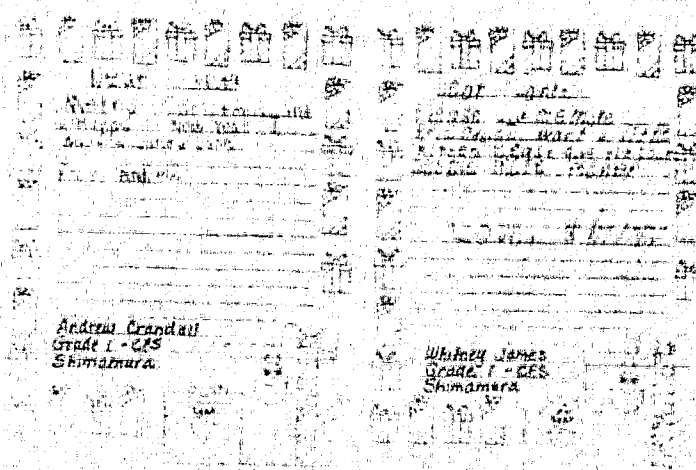
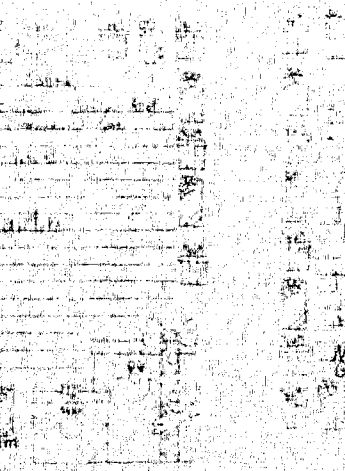
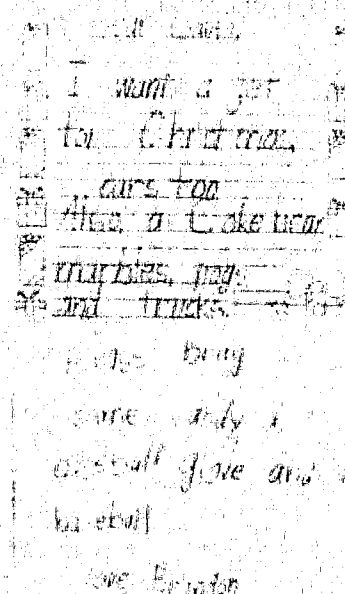
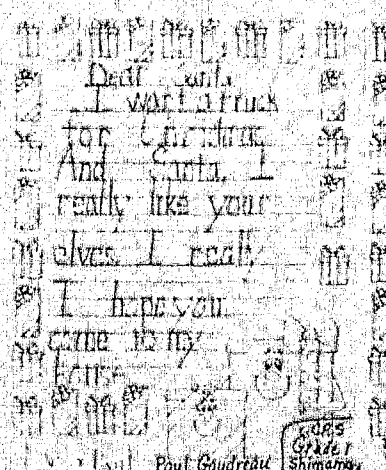
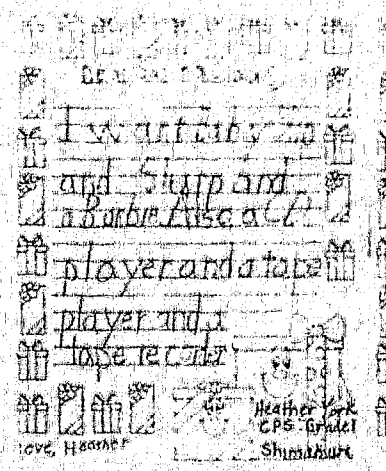
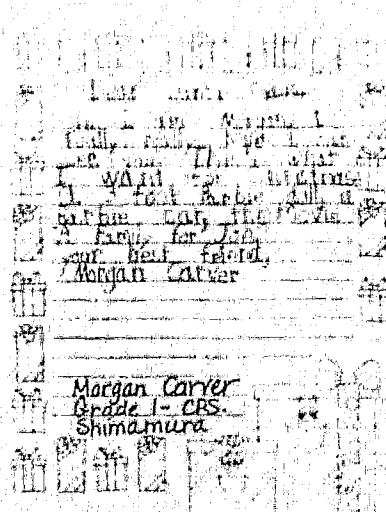
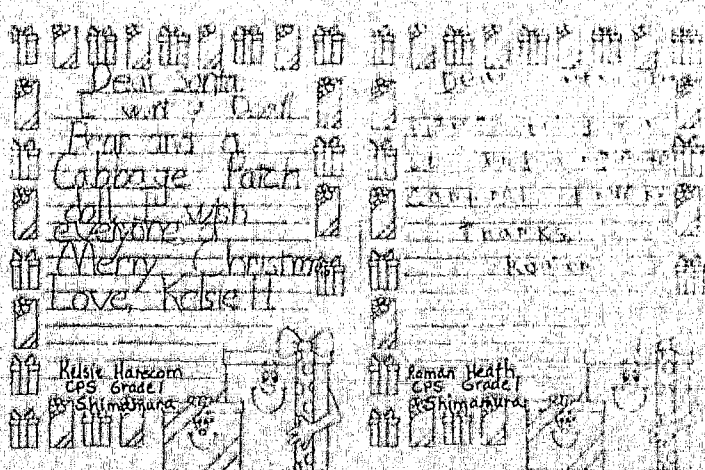
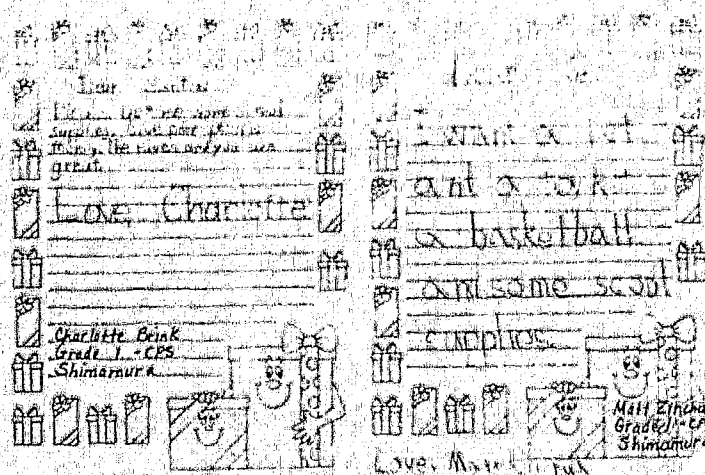
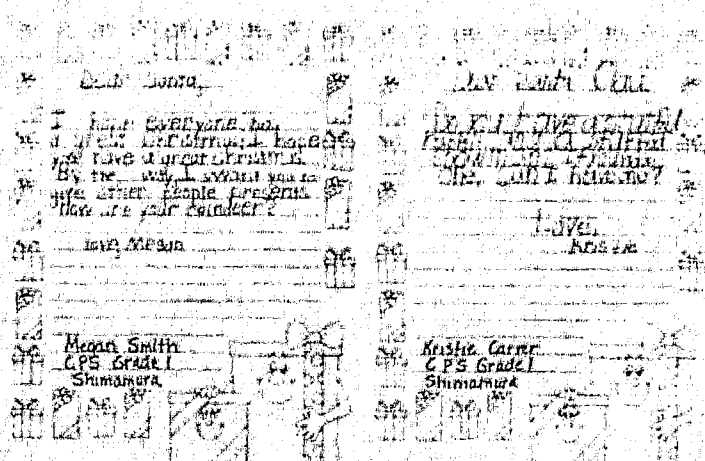
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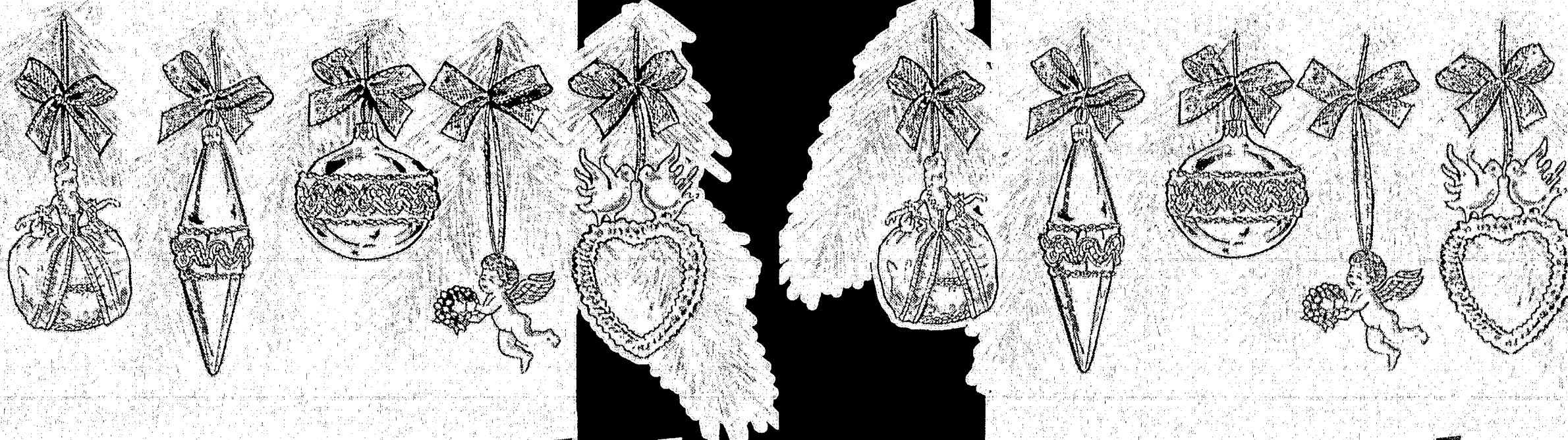
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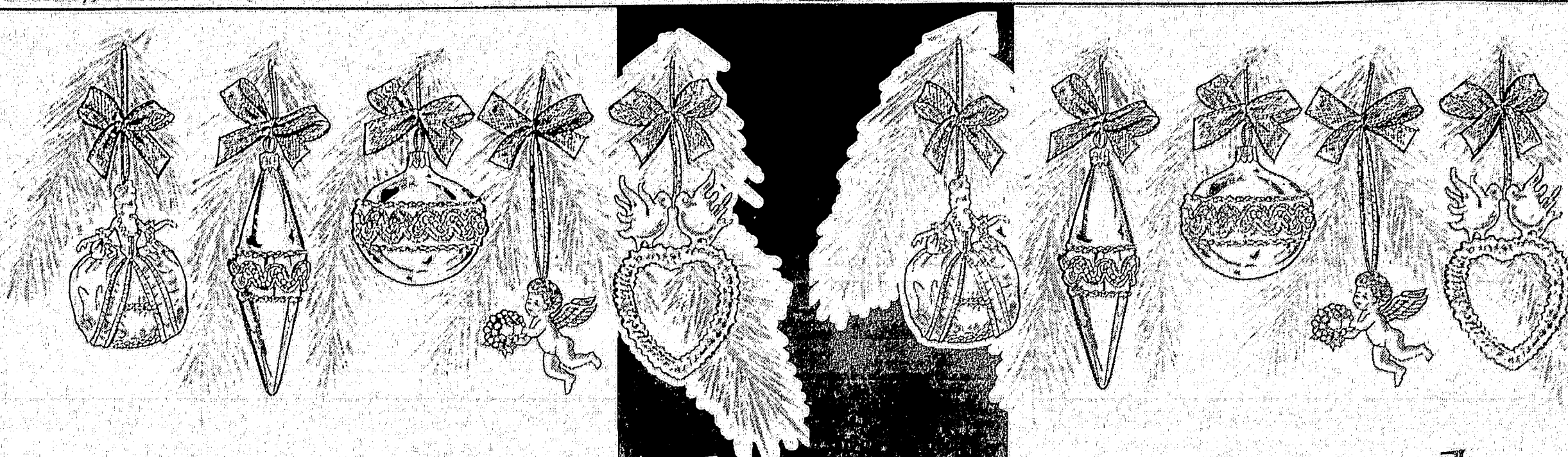
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According to Kay C. Goss, FEMA's associate director for Preparedness, Training and Exercises, who oversees FEMA's Family Preparedness Program, many preparedness measures are common to several winter emergencies, including winter flooding, nor'easters, ice storms, blizzards and deep freezes. Prime examples are having provisions to get by without help, and plans to cooperate with neighbors or evacuate if necessary.

"People should know the winter hazards they face in their region, how to avoid or reduce them, and take steps now to be prepared," said Goss.

Through its Family Preparedness Program, FEMA cooperates with other federal agencies such as the National Weather Service and voluntary organizations like the American Red Cross to provide consistent and reliable information about the effects of hazards and what preparedness and mitigation steps will provide the best protection.

Don Wernly, chief of the National

Weather Service's Warning and Forecast Branch, reminds the public that "Nor'easters can combine the punch of hurricane-force winds, tidal surges, the snow and sleet of a blizzard, and a paralyzing sheet of ice over much of the Northeast and mid-Atlantic area with a single storm."

Timely preparation, including structural and non-structural mitigation measures to avoid the impacts of severe winter weather, can avert excessive personal, business and government expenses. Experts agree that the following measures can be effective in dealing with the challenges of severe winter weather.

If Your Car Becomes Stuck

In extreme cold use road maps, seat covers, floor mats, newspapers, extra clothing -- anything to provide additional insulation and warmth.

Don't run battery down, but at night turn on inside dome light so rescue teams can see you. In remote areas spread a large cloth over the snow to attract attention of rescue personnel searching by airplane.

Do not get out on foot unless you see a building close by where you know you can take shelter.

Once the blizzard is over, you may need to leave the car and proceed on foot. Follow the road if possible. If you need to walk across open country, orient your route

toward distant points as landmarks to help maintain your sense of direction.

After The Storm

Report downed power lines and broken gas lines immediately.

After blizzards, heavy snows or extreme cold, check to see that no physical damage has occurred, water is running, and if there are no other problems, wait for streets and roads to be opened before you attempt to drive anywhere.

Check on neighbors, especially any who might need help.

Avoid disaster areas.

Beware of overexertion and exhaustion. Shoveling snow in extreme cold causes many heart attacks.

Set your priorities and pace yourself after any disaster that leaves you with a mess. The natural tendency is to do too much too soon.

Returning To Your Home After A Flood

When returning to your home, do not turn gas back on yourself.

If the gas system is still on, check it first.

Do not turn electricity back on if you smell gas or if the electric system has been flooded.

Check the electrical system if it appears dry and there is no odor of gas.

Before Severe Weather Arrives

Store drinking water, first aid kit, canned/no-cook food, non-electric can opener, radio, flashlight and extra batteries where you can get them easily, even in the dark.

Keep car fueled and in good repair.

Know how public is warned (siren, radio, TV) and what warning terms mean for each kind of disaster in your community (e.g. "winter storm watch" means be alert, a storm is likely; "winter storm warning" means take action, the storm is in or entering the area).

Know safe routes from home, work, and schools to high ground.

Know how to contact other household members through a common contact, out-of-state, if separated and have to evacuate.

Know how to turn off gas, electric power and water if told to before evacuating.

Know ahead of time what you should do to help elderly or disabled friends or neighbors.

Keep plywood, plastic sheeting, lumber, sandbags, and hand tools on hand and accessible.

Winterize your house, barn, shed or other structures that will provide shelter for your family, others, livestock or equipment. Install storm-shutters, doors and windows; clear rain gutters; repair roof leaks.

If you think you might want to

volunteer in case of a disaster, now is the time to let voluntary organizations or the emergency services office know--beforehand.

During Any Emergency

Keep a local radio station on for information and emergency instructions.

Have your emergency survival kit ready to go if told to evacuate.

Wear sturdy workboots and gloves.

Do not handle live electric equipment in wet areas.

Use flashlights, not lanterns, candles or matches to check buildings containing natural gas, propane, or gasoline.

Follow directions from local officials regarding safety of drinking water.

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Clean and disinfect everything that got wet. Throw out fresh food that came in contact with flood water.

If you were fortunate and want to help others, give money to buy what the victims need. Used clothing, unlabeled and unsorted by size, is usually more of a problem than a help. If warm clothes are needed, there will be public announcements about what is needed, how to prepare them and where to take them.

GREENWOOD HISTORICAL

The regular meeting of the Greenwood Historical Society on Dec. 6 was preceded by a potluck supper at 6 p.m. and was followed by the usual Christmas auction.

It was announced that the endowment letters will be ready to mail out in January or maybe a little later.

The society is now using water from the new well which has been made possible by the members. A card of thanks has been sent to Kenneth Poland for his donation of crushed stone.

It was reported at the meeting of the illness of Life Member Anita Hakala who was very ill at a Lewiston hospital.

Blaine Mills has been copying more of the Nettie Maxim photos.

The newsletters were passed out at the meeting.

George and Arlene Hayes, who live on Bird Hill, have become Life Members of the society.

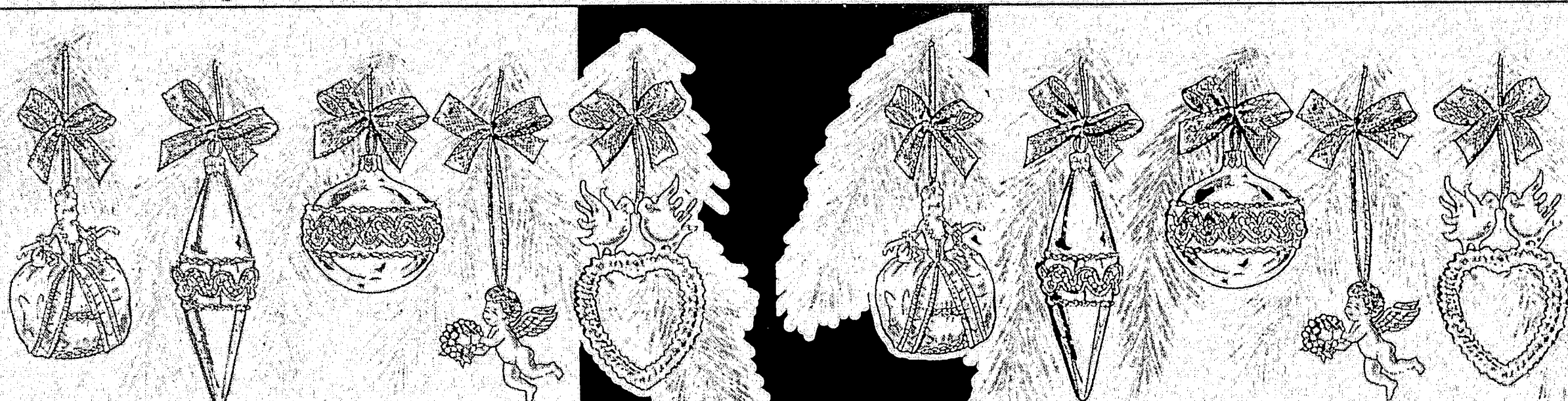
There will be a meeting on Dec. 21 at the Historical Building to make plans for the New Year's Dance.

There will be dances at the Town Hall on the following dates: Dec. 16, Dec. 23, and Dec. 31.

During the evening, Joan Kimball played a few Christmas songs on the recently donated organ. Since the last meeting, more has been learned about the organ. It had once belonged to Annie (Hill) Bean whose daughter, Mabel (Bean) Robertson gave it to Florence Swift in the early part of the Forties.

At the next regular meeting, on Jan. 3, Blaine Mills will do the program film on the Red Paint People.

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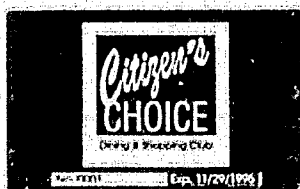
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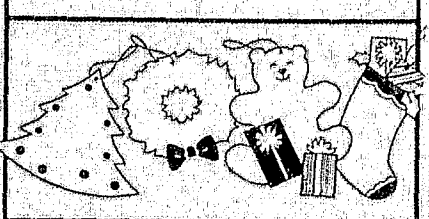


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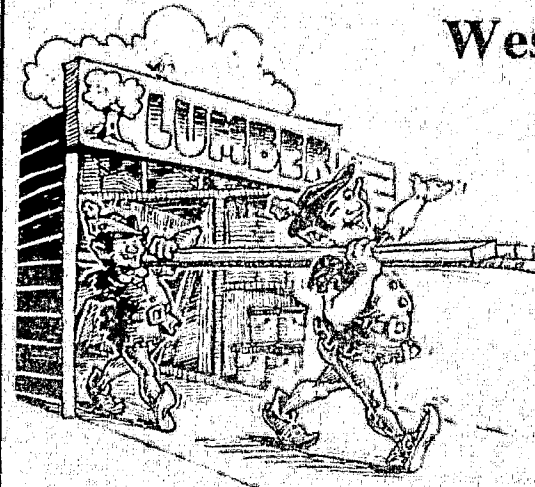
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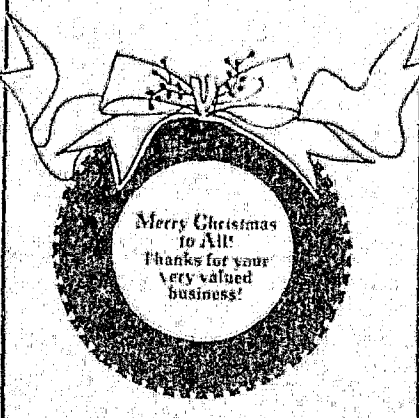
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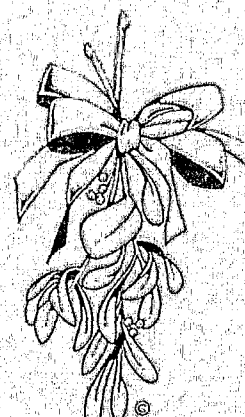


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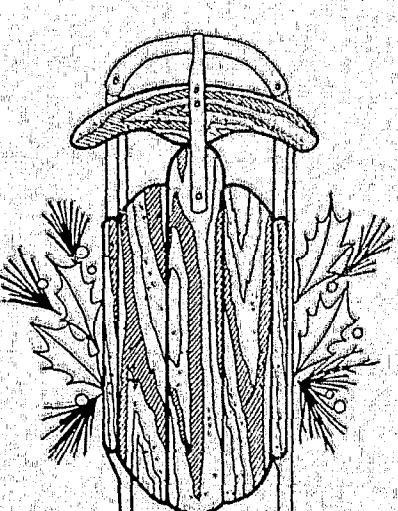
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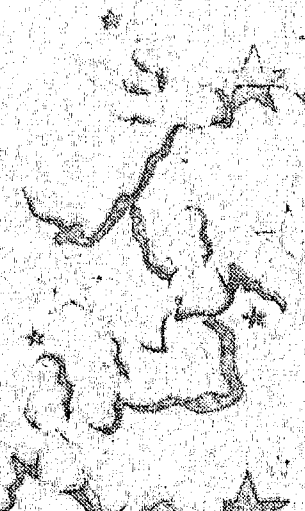


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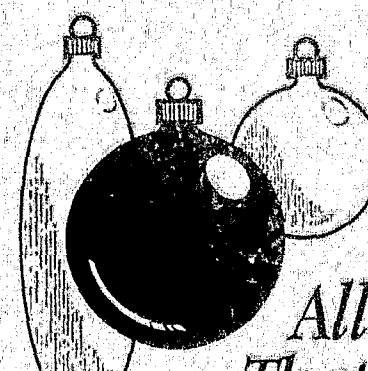


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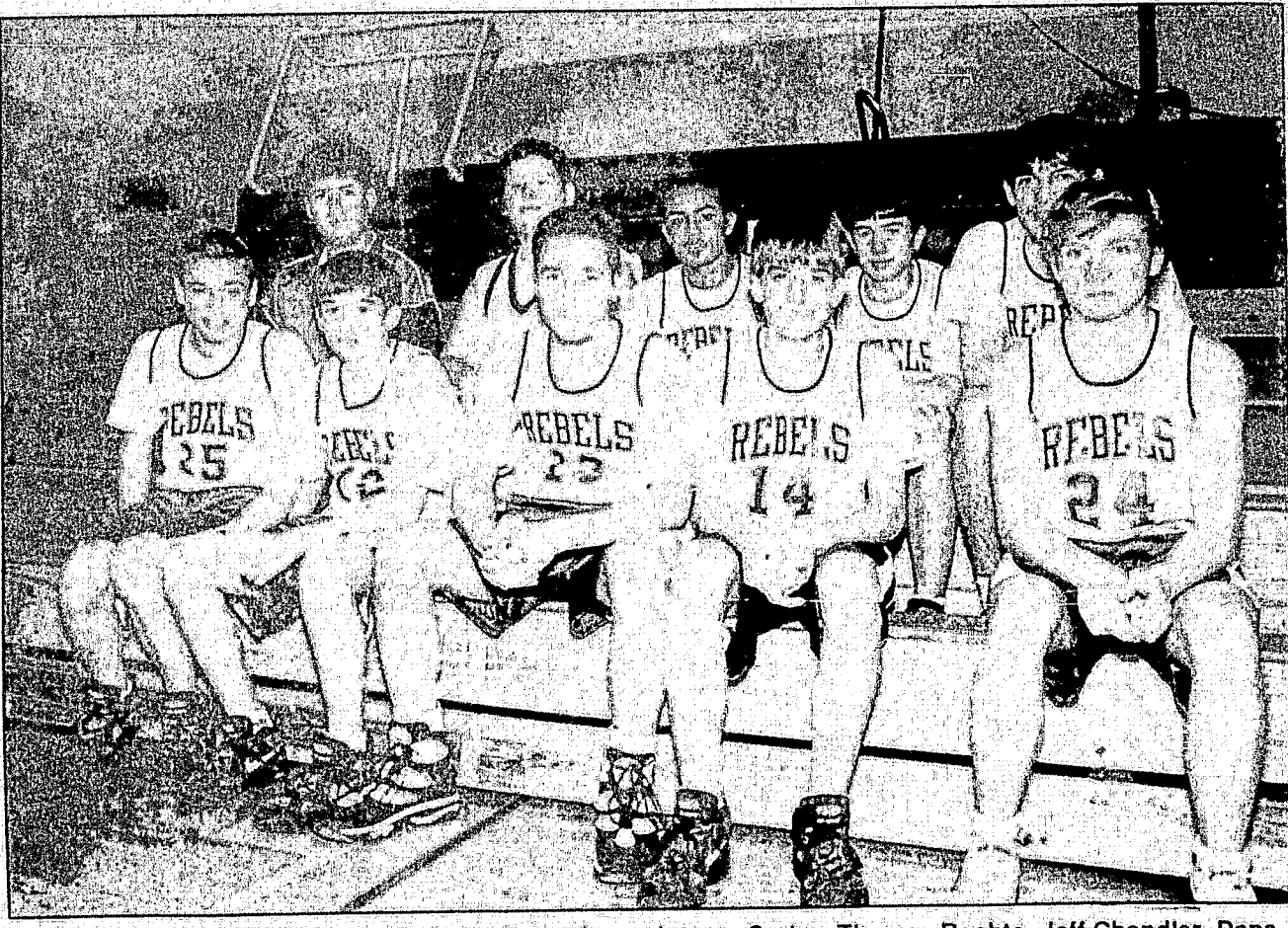
Telstar High School winter sports teams 1995-96



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ALPINE SKIING—Front: Sam Sayen, Malinda Gilbert, Vickie Coolidge, Tonilyn Vacca. Second row: Macy Blaisdell, Matt Hiebert, Grayson Wakefield, Tim Adams, Matt Koskela. Back: Jason Billings, Josh Adams, Adam Newell, Adam Luxton, Kurt Thurston, Chris Vaughan.



J.V. BOYS' BASKETBALL—Front: Jason Rosenberg, Jeremy Curley, Thomas Roshto, Jeff Chandler, Dana Howe. Second row: coach Blake Johnson, Brian Inman, Nate Whitworth, Neil Thurlow, Neil Phelps. Absent: Steve Evans.

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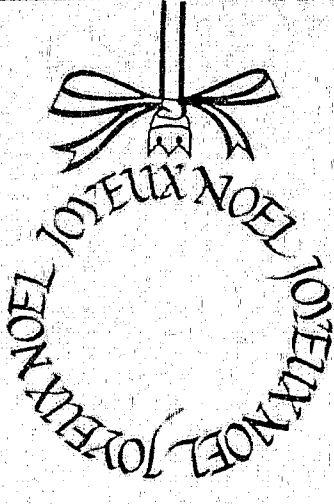
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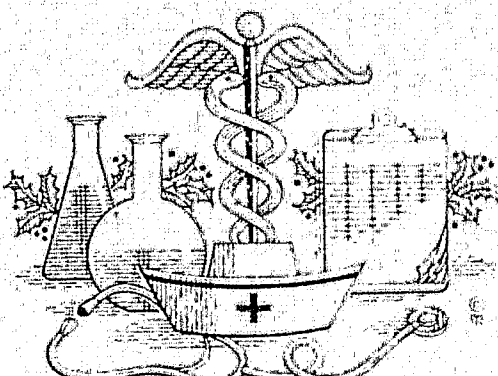


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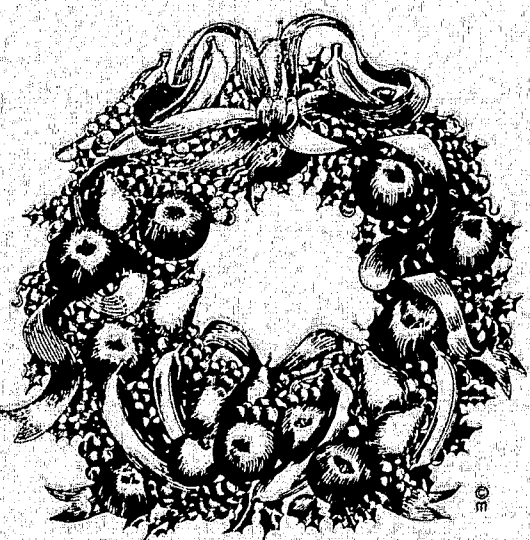
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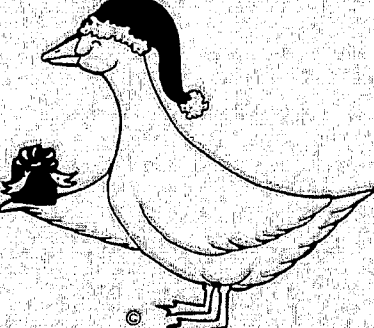
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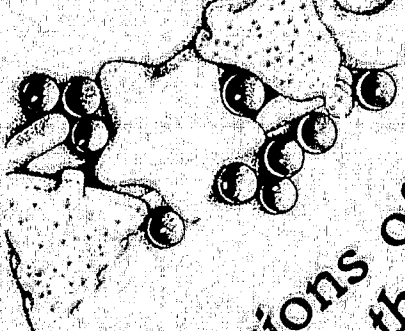


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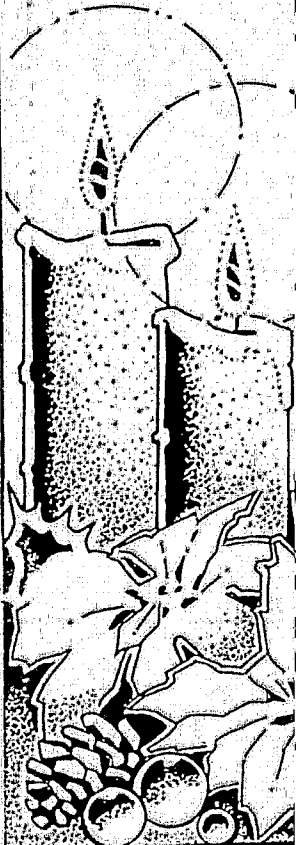
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Telstar sports

High School Varsity Basketball

Livermore Falls 85, Telstar 63

Dec. 11--Wade Luxton scored 15 points for the Rebels and Tony Buker 13 in a loss to Livermore Falls. Caesar Morgan had nine rebounds and Keith Stevens eight.

Jay 58, Telstar 53

Dec. 16--Tony Buker scored 14 points and Wade Luxton had eight rebounds in a loss to Jay.

J.V. Boys' Basketball

Telstar 61, Livermore Falls 47

Dec. 11--Neil Thurlow scored 16 points and Nate Whitworth 14 as Telstar beat Livermore Falls. Other scorers: Jason Rosenberg (8), Sandon Morgan (8), Neil Phelps (7), Jeremy Curley (4), Brian Inman (4). The Rebels outscored Livermore Falls 25-10 in the fourth quarter.

Jay 74, Telstar 55

Dec. 16--Neil Phelps scored 16 points for Telstar in a loss to Jay.

High School Varsity Girls' Basketball

Winthrop 54, Telstar 25

Dec. 12--Beth Howe had 10 points for Telstar and Sarah Richardson five in a defeat at the hands of Winthrop. Said coach Ray Seames, "The Rebels got off to their worst start in years, with no points in the first quarter, and only four in the second. With the season opener jitters gone, the Rebels scored 21 in the second half to Winthrop's 17.

Carrabec 66, Telstar 41

Dec. 15--Sarah Richardson, Sarah Seames and Jana Mason were top point scorers for Telstar with 11, nine, and seven, respectively, in a loss to Carrabec. Jana Mason had six rebounds. "They showed more consistency on offense, led through much of the first quarter, but allowed the Cobras to put up some big numbers in the second and fourth quarters," said coach Ray Seames.

Madison 91, Telstar 35

Dec. 16--Sarah Richardson scored 13 points and Beth Howe six as the Rebels were soundly beaten by Madison. Jana Mason had 11 rebounds. "The Bulldogs showed why the championship banners hang on their wall," said coach Ray Seames.

Middle School Boys' Basketball

Buckfield 47, Telstar 30

Dec. 13--Spencer Glover had nine points for Telstar and Ross Baker eight as the Rebels were defeated by the Bucks. "The kids ran the press well at times during the game. We need to work on boxing out and being more aggressive," said coach Tim O'Connor.

Telstar 48, Mt. Blue 44

Dec. 18--Ross Baker scored 21 points, Greg Koch 10, and Spencer Glover seven as Telstar got its first win of the season. "This was an overtime victory for the Rebels. Good team defense and heads-up play were the key to the victory," said coach Tim O'Connor.

High School Skiing

Giant Slalom at Sugarloaf

Dec. 14--The Telstar boys finished second behind Skowhegan in a six-team meet. Said coach Tom Remington, "Skowhegan surprised us with their talent. Josh Adams skied well, but not his best. Kurt Thurston had his best race ever. Tim Adams is really beginning to ski well. Adam Newell, Adam Luxton and Sam Sayen placed exceptionally well, as did Grayson Wakefield and Matt Hiebert, Chris Vaughan and Matt Koskela. I was pleased. It gave me an indication of our depth -- something I've never had before." The girls' team finished fourth. Remington said they also skied very well, with all four members finishing. "Malinda Gilbert was very excited, and she should be. She finished second. I was proud of all of them," said Remington.

At college

ELISE BENNETT

Elise R. Bennett, daughter of Mrs. Judy J. Bennett of Old County Road in Bryant Pond, was elected vice president of her freshman class at Roanoke College for the 1995-96 academic year. She is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School.

Roanoke College is a coeducational liberal arts and sciences college with an enrollment of 1,750. It was founded in 1842 and is the second oldest Lutheran-related college in the nation.

SHILO HUTCHINS

Shilo Hutchins, a senior at Bates College, recently completed the 1995 field hockey season.

Hutchins, a tri-captain, scored one goal and added two assists this season. Hutchins scored in the Bobcats' 5-0 drubbing of St. Joseph's. She also added an assist against Elms College, as well as a key assist in Bates' 3-2 victory over Middlebury College.

The Bobcats finished a successful 1995 campaign with an 8-6 record under first-year coach, Stacey Walls. The season highlight was a 3-2 victory over Middlebury College. It marked the first time since 1983 that Bates had beaten the Panthers. After the Middlebury victory, Bates was ranked third in New England. The Bobcats outscored their opponents 25-18 on the season. Bates will return a strong nucleus for next season as they will lose only four seniors to graduation.

A 1992 graduate of Telstar Regional High School, Hutchins is the daughter of Jeffrey and Elaine Hutchins, Bethel.

CHRIS TORREY

Chris Torrey, a six-foot, three-inch senior from Bethel, is a member of the University of Maine at Machias basketball team this season. Chris, a sports and fitness management major, is the son of Linda and Peter Kuzyk.

NOTES FROM

Adult Education

The SAD44 Adult Education program has installed new career software at the Adult Learning Center to assist area residents in obtaining information about career and educational opportunities. CHOICES 96 is the latest version of the program developed by Careerware providing comprehensive and up-to-date information about occupations, colleges, technical schools, graduate schools and financial aid. As a user explores career options, the extensive data base is narrowed down to a manageable number of occupations that fit the user, considering the categories selected.

CHOICES 96 includes new optional assessments that the user may choose including transferrable occupational skills from previous work experiences and an interest checklist. After narrowing in on an occupation, the user may explore computer-suggested programs of study toward that occupation and schools offering the programs. CHOICES 96 includes information specific to the Maine labor market and current information on financial aid. Users who need more time using the system may save the information entered so that later sessions may begin at that point.

Kay Larson offers assistance with CHOICES 96 on Tuesdays during the day and on Wednesday evenings at the Learning Center. Following an orientation, users may work with CHOICES 96 during regular Learning Center hours. Times may be scheduled by calling the Adult Education office, 824-2780.

News from the

The Bethel Library

The "Little House in the Big Woods" dollhouse, which was contributed by Linda Gamble as a raffle item to support the Bethel Library children's book budget was won by Esther Sweetser of Bethel.

Esther was very pleased to receive the doll house and two hard cover books, and they will be given to a granddaughter for Christmas. The raffle brought in \$318 to buy children's books for the library's permanent collection.

Marvin Ouwinga, president of the Board of Trustees, drew the winning ticket on Dec. 18 in the Library. The Board of Trustees and all who enjoy the Bethel Library wish to give special thanks to Linda Gamble and to those who helped in the raffle.



WITH FIRE EXTINGUISHER HANDY, Telstar principal Ted Davis (rear) and assistant principal Carroll Higgins cooked breakfast for the senior class last week. The breakfast is an annual event following the receipt of MEA scores. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

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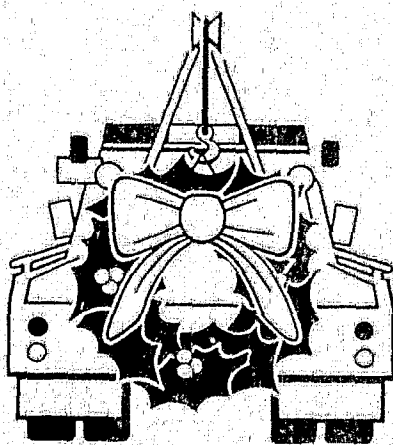
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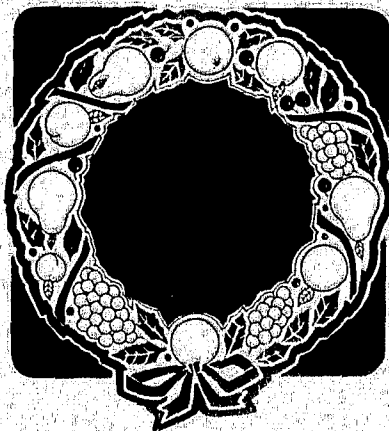
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THURSDAY EVENING DECEMBER 21, 1995										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Seinfeld	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Charlotte Hornets					News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol	
(5) Jesus of Nazareth				Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade	
(6) Home Imp	Seinfeld	Friends	Single Guy	Seinfeld	Caroline	ER		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	World of Discovery		Movie: "Memphis Belle"				News		
(10) News-Lehrer	Maime	Maime	Mystery!			Carols for Christmas		Are You Being Served?		
(11) Sportsctr	College Basketball: Utah at Wake Forest			Boxing: Haydon vs. Nicholson				Sportscenter		
(12) Club Dance	News	Willie Nelson & Friends	Music City Tonight			Club Dance		News		
(13) Ent. Tonight	Entertainment	Pooh and Christmas	Mickey's Christmas Carol	48 Hours				News		
(14) Celtics	Cycle World		College Basketball: Providence at Texas			Auto Race		Italian Soccer Highlights		
(15) "Explorers"	"Police Academy: Mission to Moscow"		Movie: "Deadly Target"					Inside the NFL		
(17) Flash	MMC	Boyz II Men: Going Home		American Teacher Awards						
(18) "Like Father, Like Son"	Movie: "The Godfather"							"The Godfather, Part II"		
(20) Front Row	Equestrian: Nations Cup			Equestrian: Aachen Grand Prix				Cycle World		
(21) Commish		Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "Child's Cry"					Unsolved Mysteries		
(22) Videos	Videos	Figure Skating: Elvis on Ice		Movie: "The Cutting Edge"						
(24) Doug	Clarissa	Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Pat Boone Family	Kotler	Van Dyke		
(25) "Dead End" Cont'd	Movie: "It Started in Naples"			Movie: "The Black Orchid"				It Started		
(26) Wings	Wings	Movie: "A Smoky Mountain Christmas"		WWF: Monday Raw				Wings		
(27) Ancient Mysteries	Biography		Movie: "A Christmas Reunion"					Law & Order		
(32) Streets of San Francisco	Jude Children		Mod Squad					Barnaby Jones		
(34) Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Movie: "Newsies"						Night Court	Simon	
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News/Politics	Larry King Live			World News		Sports	Moneyline	

FRIDAY EVENING DECEMBER 22, 1995										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Seinfeld	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Buffalo Sabres					News	Cheers	H. Patrol		
(5) Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade	
(6) Home Imp	Seinfeld	Movie: "The Sound of Music"						News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat.	Jingle Bell	Step-Step	Boy-World	20/20		News		
(10) News-Lehrer	Wash. Wk.	Wa. St.	Mr. Bean	Time Goes	Molier	Blackadder	Served	Red Green		
(11) College Basketball	Kansas vs. Temple			Basketball	College Basketball: Georgia Tech vs. Massachusetts			Sportsctr		
(12) Club Dance	News	Championship Rodeo		Music City Tonight				Club Dance		
(13) Ent. Tonight	Entertainment	Due South		Diagnosis Murder		Picket Fences		News		
(14) "Game Time" NBA Basketball	Minnesota Timberwolves at Boston Celtics			Court	Scoreboard	Football		Hockey Wk.		
(15) Inside the NFL	Movie: "The Fugitive"			Movie: "Clear and Present Danger"						
(17) Movie: "A Man for Christmas"				Movie: "Christmas Coal Mine Miracle"				Holiday	Movie: "Harvey"	
(18) "The Wrath" Cont'd	Movie: "Trapped in Paradise"			Movie: "Batman"						
(20) Front Row	Women's College Basketball: St. Louis at Marquette			Skiing		Transworld Sport		Hockey Wk.	Rinkside	
(21) Commish		Breast Cancer		Movie: "Clean and Sober"					Mysteries	
(22) Videos	Videos	Movie: "Airplane!"		Movie: "Airplane II: The Sequel"						
(24) Doug	Clarissa	Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Andy Williams	Kotler	Van Dyke		
(25) "A Glimpse in Distress"	Movie: "The World in His Arms"			Movie: "Gentleman's Agreement"						
(26) Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Big"				Duckman		
(27) Ancient Mysteries	Biography		Investigative Reports			Ancient Mysteries		Law & Order		
(32) Streets of San Francisco	That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad			News		Barnaby Jones		
(34) Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Hercules: Jmrs		Xena: Warrior Princess		News		Night Court	Simon	
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News/Politics	Larry King Live			World News		Sports	Moneyline	

SATURDAY EVENING DECEMBER 23, 1995										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Seinfeld	Cheers	Movie: "We're No Angels"				News	Movie: "The Quiet Man"			
(5) Holiday	Greetings From the Ed Sullivan Show			Movie: "Visions of Christmas Past"				Movie: "Pillow Talk"		
(6) Home Imp	Seinfeld	Everybody's Business		Movie: "Sidekicks"				News	Sat. Night	
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Foxworthy	Mayba	Movie: "Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey"				News	Tales-Crypt	
(10) Maime	Contrary	Duchess of Duke Street		Carreras, Domingo and Cole				Christmas Songs		
(11) Sportscenter		NFL Football: New England Patriots at Indianapolis Colts						NFL Sportscenter		
(12) Talent Roundup	Opry	Grand Opry	Stallion Bros.			At the Ryman		Opry	Grand Opry	
(13) Star Trek: Deep Space 9	Opryland Christmas		Touched by an Angel							
(14) NHL Hockey: Philadelphia Flyers at Hartford Whalers						Horse R.	Hockey	Skiing Magazine on TV		
(15) "Nightmare Before Christmas"	Movie: "Little Women"					Movie: "True Lies"				
(17) Movie: "One Magic Christmas"		Movie: "It Happened One Christmas"				Harry Connick		Candlelight		
(18) "Milk Money" Cont'd	Movie: "Night Eyes 3"					Movie: "Timecop"				
(20) NHL Hockey: Tampa Bay Lightning at Boston Bruins						Tennis: Champions Tour - Final				
(21) "My Blue" Movie: "See You in the Morning"						Commish		Breast Cancer		
(22) "NCW Saturday Night"	Movie: "Thunderbolt and Lightning"					Movie: "Papillon"				
(24) Monsters	Rugrats	Alex Mack	All That	Reh-Stimpy	You Afraid?	I Love Lucy	Lucy Show	Lucy and Desi		
(25) "One-Eyed"	Hollywood	Movie: "People Will Talk"				Movie: "I Was a Male War Bride"				
(26) "Weird Sci"	Movie: "Scrooged"					Wings	Duckman	"Ernest Goes to Camp"		
(27) "Ancient Mysteries"	Biography	This Week		Here's Looking at You, Warner Bros.!				Evening at the Improv		
(32) Streets of San Francisco	That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad			News	Charles	Barnaby Jones		
(34) Fam. Mat.	R. Ches	Bull's Eye	NBA Basketball: Utah Jazz at Chicago Bulls					News	Enforcer	
(39) Capital	Politics	Prime News	Sports Sat.	Larry King Weekend		World News		Sports Tonight		

SUNDAY EVENING DECEMBER 24, 1995										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Star Trek: Voyager	Babylon 5			Kung Fu: Legend Cont.		News	H. Patrol	Hercules-Jmrs.		
(5) Movie: "The Greatest Story Ever Told" Cont'd				Branson C'mas		Kenny & Dolly: Christmas		In Touch		
(6) Lost Civilizations	Mad-You	HopeGlor		Movie: "Necessary Roughness"				News	Mass	
(8) Videos	Videos	Lois & Clark-Superman		Movie: "Columbo: Butterfly in Shades of Grey"				News	Born-Night	
(10) Strathblair		Nature		Carols for Christmas		Great Performances		One Foot in the Algarve		
(11) NFL Primetime		Best of Sportscenter		All-Star		Arete Awards		Sportscenter		
(12) Racing	RaceDay	Championship Rodeo		Fishin'		Fishing		Sportsman	Outdoors	
(13) 60 Minutes		Cybill	Almost	Movie: "Christmas on Division Street"				Windham-Singers		
(14) Golf: Mitsubishi Invitational Pro-Am				Equestrian: Chrysler Cup Classic				Italian Soccer Highlights		
(15) Joe Vs.	Little Lulu	Movie: "Forrest Gump"				Movie: "Love Affair"				
(17) Disney Christmas		Small One		Bing Crosby Christmas		Honeymooners		The Happiest Millionaire		
(18) "Johnny Dangerously"		Movie: "Trading Places"				Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop II"				
(20) Billiards	Equestrian: Washington International					Equestrian: Chrysler Cup Classic				
(21) "Clara's Heart" Cont'd	Movie: "Ebbie"					Tapes: Revisit		Six Ladies Laughing		
(22) Figure Skating: Elvis on Ice				Nat'l. Geo. Explorer		Network Earth		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
(24) My Brother R'house		Season's Greetings From the Honeymooners		Judy Garland Christmas		Van Dyke		Kotler		
(25) "My Favorite Wife"		Movie: "The Great Race"						"The Odd Couple"		
(26) Movie: "Big" Cont'd	Movie: "Coming to America"					Movie: "Scrooged"				
(27) Ancient Mysteries	Holiday at Pops!					Biography				
(32) Streets of San Francisco	That Girl	That Girl		GOP TV: Rising Tide		News	Matters	Magnum, P.I.		
(34) PinkyBrain	Animaniacs	Sister, Sis.	Cleghornel	First Time	Simon	News		Movie: "Scrooged"		
(39) Capital	Crossfire	Prime News	Sport Sun	CNN Presents		World News		Sports	NBA Wk.	

MONDAY EVENING DECEMBER 25, 1995										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Seinfeld	Cheers	Shadow-Ops		Nowhere Man		News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol	
(5) Family Challenge		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		"The Pink Panther"		
(6) NBA Basketball: Rockets at Magic		Fresh Pr		Movie: "Benny & Jojo"				News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Marshall		NFL Football: Dallas Cowboys at Arizona Cardinals						
(10) News-Lehrer		Christmas	Christmas at Saint Olaf		Great Performances		Keeping Up	Blackadder's Christmas		
(11) Sportsctr	NFL Prime Monday			Gymnastics: Rock'n Roll Challenge		Swimming: Ocean Chall.		Sportsctr		
(12) Club Dance	News	Wrangler Cowboy		Music City Tonight				Club Dance		
(13) Ent. Tonight	Entertainment	Movie: "E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial"						Dave's	News	
(14) Club Golf	NBA Action			Sportswriters on TV		Australian Rules Football: Grand Finale - Carlton Blues vs. Geelong Cats				
(15) Police Academy: Mission		Movie: "Baby's Day Out"				Comedy Hour		Movie: "Mrs. Doubtfire"		
(17) Anne of Avonlea		Anne of Avonlea		Anne of Avonlea		Sound of Julie Andrews		Making of My Fair Lady		
(18) "Eyes of an Angel"		Movie: "The Scull"				Movie: "Trapped in Paradise"				
(20) Front Row	Boston Red Sox Hall of Fame Inductions					Equestrian: International		Equestrian: International		
(21) Movie: "Empire of the Sun" Cont'd				Movie: "Maxie"				Unsolved Mysteries		
(22) "The Beastmaster"		Movie: "Babes in Toyland"				Movie: "Little Women"				
(24) Doug	Clarissa	Nicktoons	Classic TV Countdown					Kotler	Van Dyke	
(25) "Blue Skies" Cont'd		Movie: "High Time"				Magic of Bing Crosby		Movie: "Say One for Me"		
(26) The Empire Strikes Back		Movie: "Return of the Jedi"						Wings	Wings	
(27) Houston Symphony		Biography		Poirt		Miss Marple		Law & Order		
(32) Streets of San Francisco	That Girl	That Girl		Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones		
(34) Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Movie: "A Hobo's Christmas"				Griffith		News	Night Court	Simon
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		News-Sights		Sports	Moneyline	

TUESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 26, 1995										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Seinfeld	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at New York Islanders							NBA Basketball: Celtics at Lakers		
(5) Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Pink Panther		
(6) Home Imp	Seinfeld	Wings	Newsradio	Frasier	Larquette	Dateline		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Roseanne	Hudson St	Home Imp	TBA	NYPD Blue		News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Act Against Violence		Nova		Pope John Paul II		Served	Red Green	
(11) Sportsctr	NHL Hockey: Buffalo Sabres at Pittsburgh Penguins					HoytAndy		Sportscenter		
(12) Club Dance	News	Pike's Picks		Music City Tonight				Club Dance		
(13) Ent. Tonight	Entertainment	The Client		Movie: "Deadly Whispers"				News		
(14) Tonite	Baseball	Golf: Memorial		Golf: Pro-Am		Planet X		Skiing	Sportswriters on TV	
(15) "Richie Rich" Cont'd		Movie: "Little Women"				Real Sports		Interview-Vamp		
(17) Raggedy Ann and Andy		Inside Out		America 1944				Mickey Mouse Club Story	Travis Tritt: Going Home	
(18) Movie: "Nadine" Cont'd		Movie: "Point of No Return"				Movie: "Night of the Running Man"				
(20) Front Row	Skiing	Skiing: Collegiate		Skiing Magazine on TV		World Cup Skiing		World Cup Skiing		
(21) Commish		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "The River Rat"				Unsolved Mysteries		
(22) Videos	Videos	China: The Wild East				Movie: "The Last Emperor"				
(24) Doug	Clarissa	Nicktoons	Classic TV Countdown					Kotler	Van Dyke	
(25) Horizons	June A.	Movie: "Peyton Place"				Movie: "Imitation of Life"				
(26) Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Shoot to Kill"				Wings	Wings	
(27) Ancient Mysteries	Biography			Touch of Frost				Law & Order		
(32) Streets of San Francisco	That Girl	That Girl		Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones		
(34) Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Movie: "Vital Signs"				News		Night Court	Simon	
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		Business Year		Sports	Moneyline	

WEDNESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 27, 1995										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Cheers	Family	Perfect Life	Deadly Games	NBA Basketball: Celtics at Trail Blazers				
(5)	Waltons	Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Movie: "Madame X"		
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Sequest 2032		Dateline		Law & Order		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ellen	Drew Carey	Grace	Truth	Primetime Live		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Metropolitan Opera Presents				Are You Being Served?			
(11)	Bowl Kickoff		College Football: Copper Bowl -- Air Force vs. Texas Tech				Sportscenter			
(12)	Club Dance	News	Merle Haggard	Music City Tonight			Club Dance		News	
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Bless This	Dave's		Kennedy Center Honors			News	
(14)	College Basketball: ECAC Festival - Ky. vs. Rider			College Basketball: ECAC Holiday Festival - Iona vs. St. John's			NBA Action			
(15)	Movie: "Starman" Cont'd		Movie: "The Client"			Dream On		Sanders	Crypt Tales	Love Affair
(17)	Tall Tales and Legends		Movie: "The Fox and the Hound"			Toy Story		Legends of Comedy		Spin-Mar
(18)	Geronimo: Amer. Legend		Movie: "Sunday's Children"				Movie: "Blood Run"			
(20)	AHL Hockey: Providence Bruins at Worcester IceCats					Tennis: Champions Tour -- Final				
(21)	Commish		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Guilty by Suspicion"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Funniest Home Videos		NBA Basketball: Golden State Warriors at Washington Bullets				Movie: "Rio Bravo"			
(24)	Doug	Clarissa	Nicktoons	Classic TV Countdown					Kotler	Van Dyke
(25)	Papa's Delicate		Movie: "The Strange Love of Martha Ivers"				Movie: "The Big Sky"			
(26)	Wings		Wings		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Breach of Conduct"		Wings	Wings
(27)	Ancient Mysteries		Biography		American Justice		20th Century		Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Sister, Sis.	Parent	Wayans		Unhappily		News	
(35)	Magellan	Crestfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		Politics		Sports	Money

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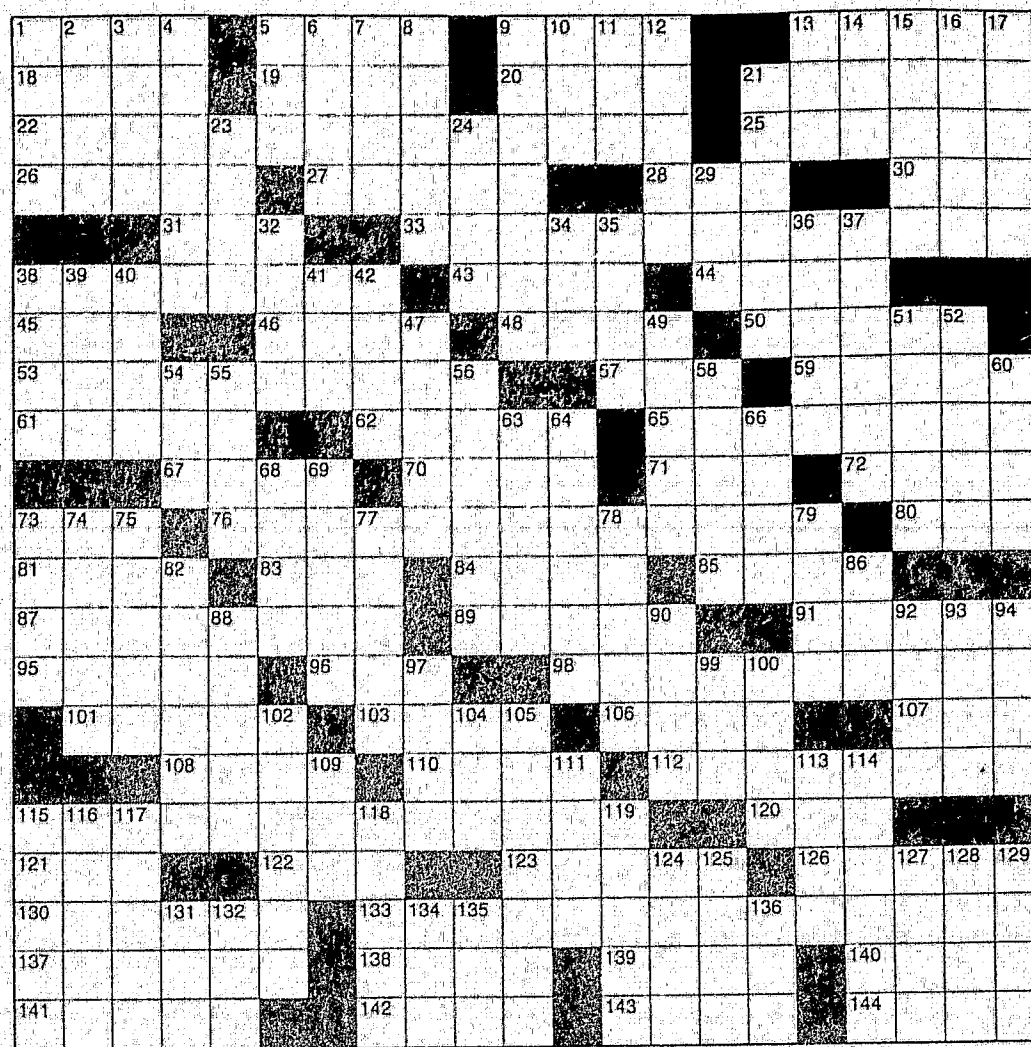
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Activities

BASKETBALL PASSES: The Telstar Athletic Boosters will be selling passes for the 1995-96 basketball season. These passes, on sale until Dec. 22, entitle holders to attend all the boys' and girls' home games. Student passes are \$10; adults, \$20; family, \$30 and are sold through the Booster Club. For information contact Sarah Craig at 824-2777. Tickets can be picked up and paid for at the door.

Wednesday, Dec. 20--Christmas Concert, 6:30 p.m.--Agnes Gray School gymnasium, West Paris. 50/50 raffle before concert and goodies to buy after. All are welcome.

Friday, Dec. 22, (rescheduled) Bethel Senior Citizens' Christmas Party at the Bethel Inn & Country Club, 5:30 p.m. (social hour), 6:30 (dinner). Exchange of gifts and program. Cost to members: \$7.

Saturday, Dec. 23, 4 p.m.--14th annual Live Nativity in front of Oxford Advent Christian Church, Route 26, Oxford. 45-minute program followed by fish and corn chowder supper with dessert and beverage at 5 p.m. in the church dining room. All are invited to attend.

Candlelight Service, "Festival of Lessons and Carols" at West Bethel Union Church, 7 p.m. Everyone invited.

Sunday, Dec. 24, 6 p.m.--Candlelight service at First Universalist Church, West Paris. An invitation is extended to all who would like to attend.

Wednesday, Dec. 27--Education exhibit of Bethel bicentennial opens at Gould Academy.

"Gizmo Guys" will be featured at the Summit Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, 7 p.m. Tickets: until Dec. 22, \$6 for children under 12 and \$8 for adults; after Dec. 22 tickets will be \$8 and \$10. Call 824-3575 for reservations.

Wednesday, Jan. 3, Greenwood Historical Society meeting with program by Blaine Mills.

Thursday, Jan. 4--Bethel United Methodist Women will meet at the church.

"So You Think You Know Bethel" will be featured at Bethel Historical Society monthly meeting.

Saturday, Jan. 20, 8 p.m.--The Boys Choir of Harlem will perform at the Maine Center for the Arts, University of Maine, Orono. For reservations or information, call 1-800-622-8499.

Sexual Abuse Group Therapy -Good Days 'Too! Separate sessions held for adult females and males. Meetings are held in Topsham. For more information call 729-5754 or write to Good Days Tool, P.O. Box 251, Topsham, ME 04086

To submit events for the Community Calendar, you may bring in your copy to The Bethel Citizen or call the office at 824-2444, by noon on Mondays.

Exchanges

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Tuesday, 4-6 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. at the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Biscoe School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center--Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Safer Families

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Bethel at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays, in Rumford on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and in South Paris at 9:30 p.m. on Tuesdays. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-520-4220. Safer Families also provides legal advocacy, for example, help with protection orders. For more information call 824-4222 or 1-800-520-4220 (24-hours a day).

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Upton Public Library: First and third Thursday of each month, 6:30-8 p.m.

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. church service and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Monday, 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Albert B. Colpitts, Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowry, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist--Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, Pastor, 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided.

West Bethel Union--Rev. John Williams, 9:15 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopal House Church--at Bohr's on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of each month (824-2913.)

Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Michael Cabana, Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school, 11 a.m. worship service.

Andover

First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship service.

Calvary Congregational Church--Rev. Duane Waite, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., junior and morning worship 10:45.

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church--Rodney H. Hanscom, services will resume in the spring.

Albany

Congregational Church -Hunt's Corner, 11 a.m. Sunday summer worship, May 14 through September. Rev. Kenneth Carstens, Pastor.

Norway

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)--Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Veteran's Services (State/VA Benefits)

Norway Armory (743-7852), first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 a.m.; Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Reach

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Monthly Meetings

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m. V.F.W., Lions' Hall, Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 665-2460.

Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

First Tuesday: Three Rivers Sportsmans Club, Hanover K of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social hour--6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting.

Telstar High School Project Graduation committee meeting, 6 to 8 p.m., room 106 at Telstar.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 6 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Gilead selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m. Third Wednesday: Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, West Parish Congregational Church, 7 to 9 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 928-2611.

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Fire Station.

Free public volleyball at the Bethel Airport, 5:30 p.m. til dusk. Organized by Bethel Air Service.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Bethel Area Health Center, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM.

CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

The Bethel VFW Memorial Post 11363 meets at the Lions Hall on Main Street at 7 p.m.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

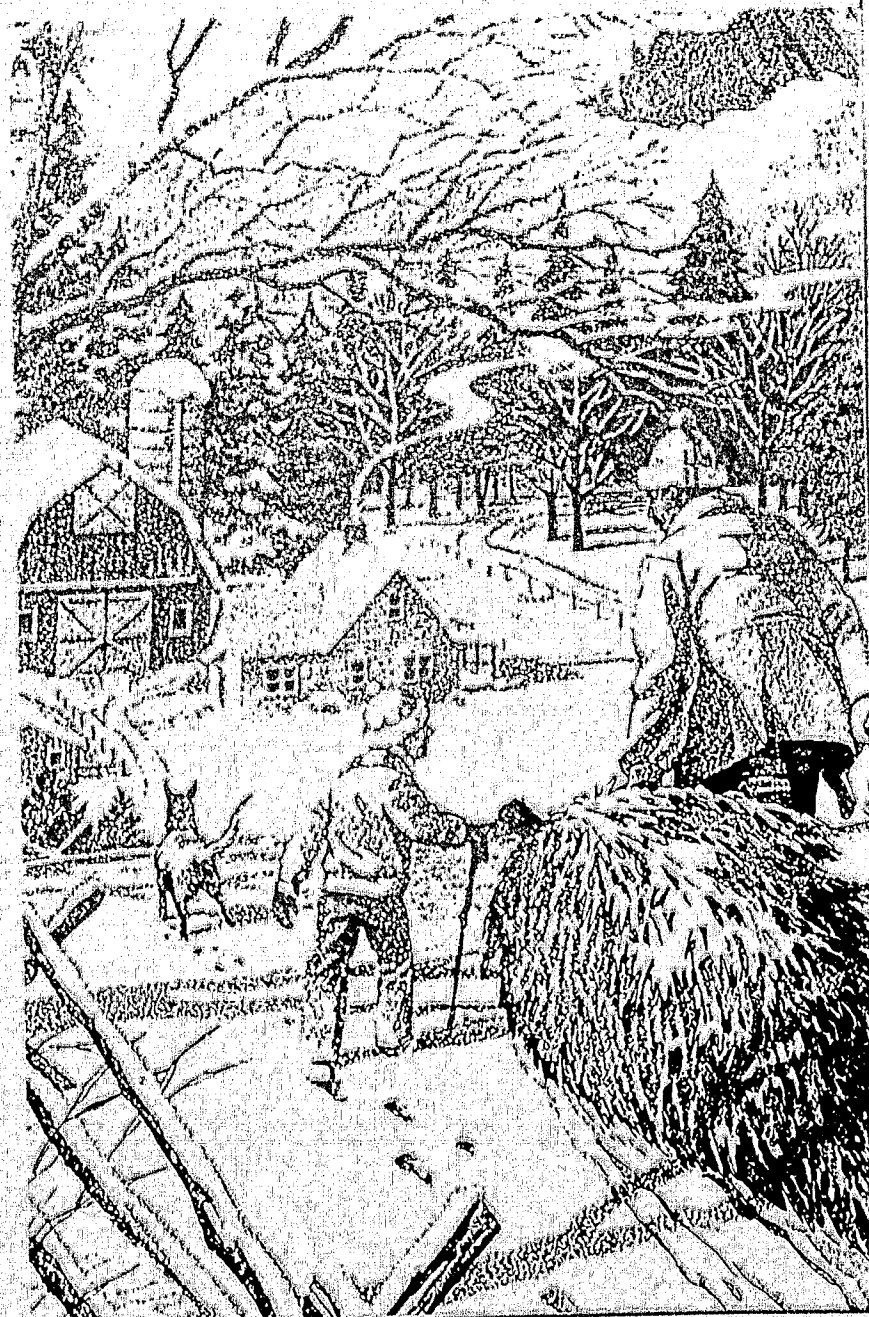
First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Last Friday: Upton Planning Board, 7 p.m., town office.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.



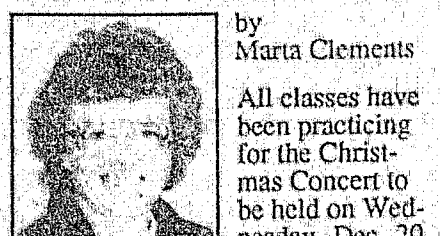
READY FOR THE BIG SHOW

Children from Susan Farrar's Children's Dance Theatre are shown here as they prepared to leave for their annual performance at the Ledgerview Nursing Home in West Paris last week. Taking part were: Sara Fitzherbert, Jill Angevine, Julie Gross, Lydia Mills, Monica Rolfe, Angie Mills, Kristy Walker, Monica Smith, Shizuko Hashimoto, Jessie Wight, Donna Lawrence, Angie Buker, Amanda Jordan, Martha Grover, Lydia Grover, Katie Chapman, Mandy Berry, Rebecca Swan, Carrie Rolfe, Emily Parsons, Chelsea Bartlett, Kimberly Tibbets, Meika Hashimoto, Lacy Newell, Heather Jordan, Jaime Caron, Alana Borst, Krystal Gould, Shonna Young, Heather Zimmerman, Jaqui Wheeler, Santana Wilson, Laura Pivin, Katie Caddigan, Freddy Bailey, Tanelli Koskela, Charles Parsons, Finnian Donovan, Jonathan Parsons, Mia Stucchi, Chea Bailey, Megan Bailey, Lauren Conroy, Crystal Herrick, Ashley Provencher, Chloe Guillet, Danna Rae Wilson, Sarah Swan, Naomi Fraser, Megan Smith, Anna Dohrmann, Charlotte Brink, Brittany Hinkle, Brianna Bailey, Kayla Gibersen, Tiffany Jordan, Kristi Skalski, Stephanie Bennett, Annie Pivin, Eden Bartholomew, Chelsea Bear, Kami Marwois, Kati Smith, Bailey Davis, Felicia Dumont, Michael Lynden, Rachel Tuttle, Taylor Lynden, Ross Rainey, Jillian Rice, Ashley Brown, Lynde Folsom, Megan Bonney, Arete Maselli, Lisa Ojeda, Kala Merrill. Missing from the photo: Sara Fitzherbert, Angie Mills, Kristy Walker, Shizuko Hashimoto, Amanda Jordan, Martha Grover, Meika Hashimoto, Heather Jordan, Alana Borst, Chloe Guillet, Tiffany Jordan. (Names provided by Susan Farrar.)

(Photo by Michael Daniels)



Agnes Gray School



by Marta Clements

All classes have been practicing for the Christmas Concert to be held on Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. Plans have been made to take each class to Ledgerview Nursing Home during the day on Wednesday for an extra rehearsal with an audience.

All classes have been working on crafts for the Christmas Fair, and children will be bringing home one or two of the things they made, and will have a chance to buy others at the fair on Thursday, Dec. 21. Christmas parties will be held in the afternoon of the 21st. We will not be exchanging gifts, but will be donating money to Christmas for Kids, and bringing in gifts for use in the classroom throughout the year.

The kindergarten class is learning about Christmas traditions around the world. They have looked at their

map and talked about the different names for Santa Claus in different countries. They are up to the letter J in the alphabet. They practice the sound of the letters, as well as learning to print them.

The Fantastic First Graders have been learning about the traditions of Hanukkah. They teamed up with their kindergarten buddies on Friday at learning stations, so both classes could learn about the Jewish holiday. Snow muffins, using real snow, were made by this class last week. They were delicious.

The second-graders are also learning about Christmas traditions. They found out that the first Christmas card was designed by J.C. Horsely in 1870 in England. Their second letter to their pen pals in Hebrew went out this week. Eli Melanson was the star of the week. Eli likes boats and riding on a snowmobile. His classmates like Eli because he is a good friend, a good athlete, is very nice and very smart.

The Third Grade Super Brains are now involved in three phases of reading: shared, silent, and oral. They read with a partner, silently by

themselves and orally read to their teacher. With each story goes a purpose for reading, a question of some type for the child to be looking for. Mrs. Merrill is encouraging her students to practice the three phases of reading at home during the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Litchfield's fourth-graders enjoyed a pizza party on Friday, and they are working hard in math learning about fractions. In social studies they have started their study of the regions of the United States. They are all sending their thanks to Susan Benson, Peg Perham, Patti Makley, Dottie Farrar, Laurie Newmeyer and Mary Giv for helping on their Christmas crafts. They hope they have not left anyone out, as they really appreciated everyone.

Mrs. Koskela's fourth-graders are having fun experimenting in science with magnets. They are finding out how far their magnets can move a paper clip. They are learning about the natural resources in New England in social studies. They have had a book report due, and a chapter math test this week. Mrs. K. is reading "Little House on the Prairie," by

Laura Ingalls Wilder, to kick off that reading unit.

My fifth-graders are learning "A Visit From St. Nicholas," by Clement Clarke Moore. We are studying the body systems, learning the main purpose and organs of each system. I began the year by reading aloud "The Indian in the Cupboard," by Lynne Reed Banks. The boys and girls liked the story so much they voted to have me read the rest of the series. I have now started the third of the four books. The last one will explain the mystery of the cupboard. We are learning about the settlement of our country in social studies. We have learned about the Spanish and the French, and are now learning about the English settlers and settlements.

The sixth-graders have collected the most so far in our Christmas for Kids project. They are plotting the growth of this fund on a Christmas candle. They are reading West African stories and working in their reading journals. They are extending their science study of the ocean by creating stories in writing class. In Math they are learning to multiply

with decimals. In social studies they are studying early civilizations, learning about nomads, hunters and gatherers.

More news after Christmas. Happy Holidays!

NOTES FROM

The CPS-PTA

On Saturday, Dec. 2, Santa Claus was a guest of the CPS PTA at the first annual Breakfast With Santa. More than 225 children gathered in the school cafeteria to share their lists with St. Nick. In standing-room-only confines, Santa patiently listened to the requests of every child present.

The children were also treated to refreshments by some of Santa's substitute elves, fifth-grade members of the CPS PTA. They served doughnuts and milk and provided the youngsters with crayons and holiday pictures to color. The PTA also offered photo opportunities with Santa, for a nominal fee. The event itself was free to all who attended and was sponsored by the PTA as a

community event.

With Christmas music in the background, each child decorated peanut-butter ornaments that were later hung on the Christmas tree on Bethel Common.

The CPS PTA would like to thank the many parents who volunteered to make this event possible. Thanks, also, to the fifth-grade student council members who pitched in on behalf of the younger students.

Special thanks to Santa who went out of his way to fit this trip into his busy schedule. He made a lot of children very happy!

VETS SERVICES RESTORED

Maine Veterans Services has restored service to all itinerant offices within the state. The Lewiston Field Office of Maine Veterans Services has the following local schedule:

Norway Armory, first and third Wednesdays, 9 a.m. until noon. Rumford Employment Security Office, Congress St., second and fourth Thursdays, 9 a.m. until noon.

CHRISTMAS VOICES Above, faculty choral story of St. Lucia holiday concert above the Arctic Circle night of the year to left: Abby Gardner, Will Chapman; third, Rackliffe and Cait center, seems to be at the Crescent Park

GOULD HONOR ROLL

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Area students at honors were seniors A and Bonnie Crocker for Amos Hausman-Febany; sophomores Teri Chadbourne and man of Bethel and La Bryant Pond; and Paul of Bethel.

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CHRISTMAS VOICES were raised in song at area schools last week. Above, faculty children at Gould Academy help Ki Clough present the story of St. Lucia last Friday as part of Yulefest '95, Gould's annual holiday concert. The Swedish legend tells of people living far above the Arctic Circle who prayed to St. Lucia during the darkest night of the year to return the sun in the morning. Pictured are (front left): Abby Gardner, Marlene Johnson; second row: Marty Donovan, Will Chapman; third row: Riley Gilbert, Anna Dohrmann; back: Sarah Rackliffe and Caitlin Kennett. At right, third-grader Ashley Gould, center, seems to be encouraging classmate Nick Gilbert to sing out at the Crescent Park School Christmas concert.

(Photos by Scott Jerome and Alison Aloisio)



The Gizmo Guys

The Mahoosuc Arts Council and Sunday River Ski Resort will present "The Gizmo Guys" on Wednesday, Dec. 27, at 7 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom of the Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. Advance tickets are priced at \$6 for children (12 and under) and adults, \$8 until Dec. 22 and after Dec. 22, \$8 and \$10. Tickets are available by calling 824-3575 for reservations. This performance is sponsored in part by the Family of Leslie B. Otten and The Bethel Inn and Country Club.

Call it New Vaudeville or a comedy juggling act, the Gizmo Guys are plain old fun for the entire family. The Gizmo Guys, a.k.a. New Yorkers Allan Jacobs, and Barrett Felker combine amazing technical juggling expertise with fast-paced, off-beat humor. In fact their juggling is unusual, too.

The two "guys" enter in their checked jackets and baggy pants with their little suitcases of possible tricks. Sure, there are the usual pins and balls but you never know what the two will pull out next. Could be Chinese yo-yos or hats or some other gizmo.

Allan Jacobs was taught to juggle by his roommate while attending the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. Barrett Felker learned the art of juggling at the age of 15, from his cousin. Since 1977, they have been entertaining around the world. By the time they joined forces 10 years later, they had already set down on six of the world's seven continents. They have appeared before well over a million people in more than 2,000 live performances as well as countless others on television. In addition to touring extensively in the U.S. and Canada, The Gizmo Guys have strutted their stuff in places as diverse as Saudi Arabia and Japan. The Gizmo Guys have proven that they can amuse as well as amaze.

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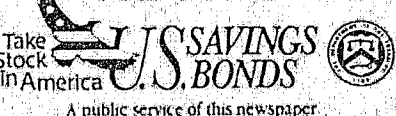
Gould Academy recently announced the names of students who were named to the honor roll for the fall trimester.

Area students attaining high honors were seniors Anneliese Bass and Bonnie Crocker of Bethel; junior Amos Hausman-Rogers of Albany; sophomores Caitlin Bass, Teri Chadbourne and Katie Chapman of Bethel and Laurie Young of Bryant Pond; and freshman Sarah Paul of Bethel.

Local students earning honors were seniors Hillary Harrison and

Amanda Sysko of Bethel; junior Benjamin Otten of Newry; sophomore Brett Harvey of Bethel, and freshmen Sarah Crocker and Jenny Wheeler of Bethel.

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If there is enough interest from other areas such as Augusta, Brunswick or Rumford, mood disorders support groups can be set up in those towns as well.

SWCD ELECTION

Norris Conant of Canton has been elected board supervisor of the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD).

Norris and his wife, Jackie, reside in Canton and have three children. He was first elected to serve on the Oxford County SWCD Board in 1972.

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OUR BACK PAGES -- From December 1940

(We went back to November this week in order to present these articles.)

BETHEL--Gateway to Maine from White Mountains

(From New York Herald-Tribune, Sunday, August 15, 1937).

By PETER FANEUIL

Bethel might very aptly be termed the Gateway from the White Mountains when traveling from Gorham, N. H. It is one of the most picturesque towns in New England, as any one who has driven up Broad street on Bethel Hill in midsummer will testify. The Sunday and Bear rivers are the haunts of fishermen. Broad street takes one to Paradise Hill, so-called because of its long, hard climb, the view of miles of rich country from its top being a fit reward for those who persevere.

The new Evans Notch Highway stretches from Gilead, just west of Bethel, to North Chatham, Chatham and Stow, through virgin country that offers incomparable scenery. There is nothing more memorable than the Androscoggin River, where millions of spools are made and shipped to thread and yarn mills all over the world.

Bethel is the home of Gould Academy and was the residence of the late Professor William Rogers Chapman, of Maine Music Festival note. The Chapman home is now occupied in the summer by Mrs. Chapman, and for years has been the mecca of composers and music-lovers.

Originally Called Sudbury Canada

On August 26, 1874, Bethel celebrated its 100th anniversary of settlement, with Nathaniel T. True as chairman and Richard A. Frye as secretary of arrangements. Leading citizens headed committees of the festivities, which were "ushered in by a delightful day. Bells were rung at sunrise, and almost before the villagers had finished their breakfast carriages began to arrive loaded with men, women and children. Many of the private residences throughout the village were gayly trimmed with evergreens and other decorations. A large national flag floated across the street between Bethel House and the residence of Major Gideon A. Hastings. The procession began to form at 10 a. m., on Broad street extending across the common and down Church street. On entering the grove through an arch inscribed '1774-Bethel-1874,' there were arranged on the right tables to accommodate 4,000 people, and on the left seats and conveniences for as many more."

On this occasion were present some children whose fathers and mothers had trekked through those woods on snowshoes to make their home in a wilderness. Reconstructing this scene, we learn that the Indian name of what is now Bethel has been lost, and that the spot where Timothy Chapman lived had once been an Indian village. Probably this had been abandoned about 1750 by these early arrivals. On clearing this land, about twenty cellars, which probably had been used as a cache for corn, were discovered. A dozen or so gun barrels also came to light; with brass kettles, axes, knives, glass bottles, arrows and iron hoes. These hoes served the white settlers for several years and so did the gun barrels, which were wrought into fire shovels by Fenno, the blacksmith.

At the outset Bethel had been called Sudbury Canada, probably because several of its settlers came from Sudbury, Mass., to this place close to Canada. A meeting being held, it was decided that Joseph Twitchell and Isaac Fuller, a surveyor, should survey the township and divide it into lots.

Twitchell, who was wealthy and

the ancestor of all bearing this name hereabouts, sensed the worth of these lands; and when proprietors failed to pay the assessments he bought their claims until eventually he held forty shares. Though he never resided here himself, it was largely due to his energy and foresight that this early settlement was made. Among his purchases was the lot covering a large portion of what was later Bethel Hill and included, as well, all the mill privileges on Mill Brook.

At this time Sudbury Canada was covered with such dense pine forests that a hunter did not know the existence of a mountain until he was at its very base, and like a silver thread the Androscoggin wound through mountains and forests.

The outbreak of the Revolutionary War threw things into confusion. Not until 1783 did the General Court give full title to settlers far and rightfully theirs.

Axes and Sugar Kettles

The first white man who shouldered his axe here is said to have been Lieutenant Nathaniel Segar, who came from Newton, Mass., in 1774. But no sooner had he hewn down trees and built his cabin than he left for the war, "in which he was engaged for two years and nine months." He was back in Bethel in 1779, accompanied by Jonathan Bartlett and with kettles in which sugar was made and later sold to the Indians.

Lieutenant Jonathan Clark was another early arrival. He is said to have been the first white man to cut hay here. In the fall of 1779 Samuel Ingalls and his wife left Andover, Mass., to join the little Maine colony. Mrs. Ingalls, journeying partly on foot and partly on horseback, was the first white woman of the town, in consequence of which 100 acres of land were given to her. Other pioneers were Benjamin Russell and General Amos Hastings, both of Fryburg. In 1779 Captain Eleazer Twitchell, son of Joseph Twitchell, original proprietor of the mills, arrived with his family to look after his father's property. With him was his wife, his wife's sister, Betsey Mason, five children and six servants.

In the spring of 1781, thirteen years after the plantation had been granted to the proprietors, there were but ten families in the town. This lack of growth was due largely to the Revolutionary War and to Indian uprisings. Yet despite these setbacks and the freshet in 1785, new colonists began to appear.

"The pioneers had no roads," the record reads. "Spotted trees served as guideboards. Marvelous strides were told by them relating to their crops of wheat, potatoes and corn in the rich soil of the intervals. Yet they had their luxuries. They employed their time in the spring months in making maple syrup and sugar. Hulled corn boiled in maple syrup is no mean fare. Sage tea took the place of tea and coffee. Fresh moose steak was good there, as now."

When Neighbors Met

When calling at another's house, one rarely knocked. The appealing bee, the husking, the raising and the quilting bee were industrious affairs mixed with hearty camaraderie. Every one convened in the kitchen. "The long poles overhead served for clothes after they had been washed and ironed," while in the autumn they were covered with dried pumpkins and strings of dried apple. The old musket which had served in the war hung to a beam overhead. The huge fireplace was regularly

supplied with a great back-log, fore-stick and other wood every morning. The pile of ashes served for roasting potatoes and burying up the coals at night. If the fire went out during the night recesses, was had to the flint and steel tinder box, or a boy was dispatched to a neighbor's for a live coal. Seats were improvised, and the neighbors assembled in the kitchen for a lecture from the clergyman.

Visiting in the evening was popular, and when a caller came, a bowl of apples and a mug of cider was always in evidence. A bountiful supper in which doughnuts and mince pies played an important part was followed by stories and witticisms, or by reminiscences of the war or "some knotty doctrinal subject in theology."

"Everybody could use snowshoes. Holes dug in the ground served as a place of deposit for their potatoes, their corn.... Among all the inconveniences incident to pioneer life only one seems to have been insurmountable: A man by the name of Newland had a fine pig which he placed in a large, round, pine stump for his sty. The pig grew rapidly and so large that he could not be taken out without spoiling the stump."

The plantation grew, and in 1790 after petitioning the Massachusetts Legislature, it incorporated as a town. The name Bethel was suggested by the Rev. Eleazar Chapman.

In primitive days flax was spun and woven into cloth from which handkerchiefs, checked aprons and gowns were fashioned, "while for Sunday shirts nothing better was expected. The wool from sheep was manufactured into blankets, wooden shirts and such while one web went to the fulling mill out of which go-to-meeting clothes were made."

The pioneers did not suffer from the cold. Every farmer carried his calfs and sowskins to the tanner, who changed them into leather, and often he spent the fall and winter evenings making boots and shoes for his family. The well-to-do citizen wore a buff vest adorned with brass buttons, while a buff shirt appeared prominently. A watch chain with a carnelian seal hung from his trousers. Underneath was unknown.

"For the older men a red bandanna pocket handkerchief served a good purpose and a muffler for the neck in cold weather, while the young men had a gay-colored silk handkerchief, one end of which a quarter of a yard in length, was sure to hang from the coat pocket. No young man in those days was considered well dressed without this appendage."

Short Skirts Worn

The ladies wore their dresses with a short waist and a short skirt, exhibiting a well-turned ankle and foot, which was covered with a shoe having a black silk bow or buckle on the top. A Van-

dyke collar surrounded the neck, and the married ladies had a cap containing many yards of ruffle. No doubt they appeared handsome and attractive, especially when a neat row of curls bordered a comely face."

Among Bethel's lost industries was the manufacture of potash and the making of shavd shingles. This latter industry flourished before the pine timber disappeared and gave winter employment to many.

Dr. Moses Mason, who had little education but a goodly quota of wit, was one of Bethel's most popular citizens. When he was a candidate for Congress he wrote a letter to his opponent in which the spelling and grammar were not exactly in accordance with the established usage. "This opponent, hoping to gain a point, had the letter published verbatim but the result was not what he had expected. It was regarded as such a breach of confidence that the candidate was the victor and he was triumphantly elected and was also re-elected."

Edmund Bean, commonly known as "Mr. Ned," was another who, though uneducated, was a good farmer and he knew how to make money. One year he bought a number of turkeys, which he sold at Portland. When "Mr. Ned" finally reached Portland the turkeys already was well stocked. He was advised to inquire of the condition of the Boston market by telegraph.

Presenting himself to the operator and making his wants known he was invited to take a seat and await the results. The operator then wired to Boston, had a messenger dispatched to Pannell Hall market, and in a brief time the prices current of turkeys was placed in Mr. Bean's hands with a demand for \$150. The old man asked them to read the dispatch, which they did, and then he flew into passion, declaring them cheats and frauds. "Why," said he, "I've had my eye on you all the time, you haven't been out of this office, nor your darn old tick-box either!" After a full explanation, "Mr. Ned" paid the bill and departed a wiser man.

The black bear was a great pest to early settlers, destroying their corn when it was in the milk and terrorizing their sheep. "Eleazer Twitchell once played a tub containing new rum and molasses in his corn field, and going out in the morning found Bruin drunk. On waking up the bear found himself securely chained and was easily dispatched. The same method has been practiced in other towns with similar results."

The years have treated Bethel kindly. It is still richly mountainous, typically New England. Some of the old customs survive with their landmarks. The Bethel Inn, where Mr. S. N. Blackwood presides, is the largest hostelry, but the people are also cared for at the Maple Inn, Bethaven Inn and Ladd's Wayside Inn.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
18-A MRSA § 3-801

The following Personal Representatives have been appointed in the estate noted. The first publication date of this notice is December 6, 1995.

If you are a creditor of an estate listed below, you must present your claim within four months of the first publication date of this Notice to Creditors or be forever barred.

You may present your claim by filing a written statement of your claim on a proper form with the Register of Probate of the Court or by delivering or mailing to the Personal Representative listed below at the address published by his name a written statement of the claim indicating the basis therefore, the name and address of the claimant and the amount claimed or in such other manner as the law may provide. See 18-A MRSA § 3-804.

In the estate of: Edward R. Bassett, Sr.,
Representatives appointed: Edward Bassett and Pamela Francis of Pleasant Point, Perry, Maine, 04667.

NOTICE

SALE OF TAX ACQUIRED PROPERTY
Real Estate to be sold the highest bidder by the State Tax Assessor.

Item No. 1
T16 RWELS, Aroostook County
Map AR030, Plan 03, Lot 122w
A 2/3 common and undivided interest in this lot is being offered by bid. This is a vacant lot consisting of 0.69 acre on the north shore of Square Lake. The lot is well wooded and the frontage topography ranges from high to low land. The lot slopes generally towards the shore from the seasonal gravel access road. There is a driveway to the lot and the frontage is generally rocky. Electricity is not available. Deed Reference Book 325 Page 193. Minimum bid \$100.

Item No. 2
T15 RWELS, Aroostook County
Map AR034, Plan 01, Lot 13.2
This is the site of an old, falling down homestead with 2.67 acres. The remains of the building have no value. There is an abandoned dug well on the lot. The lot fronts on a black topped road. The lot slopes down from road grade and is lightly wooded. Electricity is available. Deed reference Book 343, Page 306. Minimum bid \$250.

Item No. 3
Connor Township, Aroostook County
Map AR035, Plan 01, Lot 35
This property (22.00 acres) is mostly old agricultural land that has grown over to light woods and brush. The lot is a road grade. It is located just West of the dump on the Beaulieu Road. The road is blacktopped and is maintained year round. There is electricity available. Deed reference Book 589, Page 294. Minimum bid \$400.

Item No. 4
Salem Township, Franklin County
Map FR027, Plan 03, Lot 17
This property is a 0.10 acre lot with alder growth along the West Branch of the Carabasset River and bordering on Route 142. This lot probably floods during the spring and is not developable. Deed reference is not available. Minimum bid \$100.

Item No. 5
Salem Township, Franklin County
Map FR027, Plan 05, Lot 19
This parcel consists of 2.00 acres with a building. The camp is located on the north side of a gravel road. The lot is well landscaped and has a good mountain view. The camp has recently been upgraded with electricity and a new open porch. The property is well maintained. It is located off the old Fish Hatchery Road, west of Route 142. The mill log style camp consists of a 20' x 24' main section, a 15' x 24' one story addition and an 8' x 24' open porch. Deed reference Book 665, Page 173. Minimum bid \$1,050.00.

Item No. 6
T8 SD, Hancock County
Map HA004, Plan 02, Lot 81
This parcel consists of 0.08 acre. It is located off the west side of a narrow right-of-way leading from Route 179. There are no improvements. Deed reference Book 1873 Page 178. Minimum bid \$100.

Item No. 7
T8 SD, Hancock County
Map HA004, Plan 02, Lot 83
This parcel consists of 2.78 acres. It is a lightly wooded rear lot with access by a right-of-way from Route 179. There are no improvements on the lot. It is a high lot and might be suitable for a house lot. Deed reference Book 1873 Page 178. Minimum bid \$250.

Item No. 8
Albany Township, Oxford County
Map OX016, Plan 01, Lot 18
This is a well-wooded (17.00 acre) lot off the south side of Route 35 at the Greenwood Town line. The township line is marked, but the rear line is not marked. The lot is on a hillside that slopes down toward Route 35. There is a deeded right of way to this lot. Deed reference Book 1365 Page 298. Minimum bid \$400.

Item No. 9
Main Township, Oxford County
Map OX017, Plan 01, Lot 2

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NOTICE
There will be a public hearing at the West Paris Town Office at 6:00 pm on Thursday, January 4, 1996 to act upon the request for a Liquor License and a Special Amusement Permit by James and Pamela McLendon, who will be d/b/a "McLendon's Place" (formerly Charain's) on Rt.219 in West Paris, Maine.
Par order of the Selectman

This is a rear lot consisting of 3.00 acres with no road frontage. The land is low and mostly boggy and borders the White Mountain National Forest. The lot can be accessed through abutting land in Bethel although it is unclear whether it is a legal right-of-way. The land is just west of the pipeline. Deed reference not available. Minimum bid \$250.

Item No. 10
Grand Falls Township, Penobscot County
Map PE037, Plan 03, Lot 40
This property is a 1.00 acre vacant lot located north of the Lord Brook Road along the Passadumkeag River. The lot slopes down from the gravel road and has a small grassy clearing at the base of a narrow driveway. A portion of the lot is very low and floods during the spring. Deed reference Book 4408 Page 105. Minimum bid \$250.

Item No. 11
Kingman Township, Penobscot County
Map PE036, Plan 03, Lot 94
This is an unimproved 0.73 acre lot which is accessed from the driveway of lot 93. The lot is below Maple Street road grade and is seasonally wet. It has grown over to mostly brush and alders. No boundary markers have been located. Deed reference Book 1513, Page 140. Minimum bid \$150.

Item No. 12
Prentiss Township, Penobscot County
Map PE038, Plan 09, Lot 83
This 44.00 acre lot is part of a large subdivision of land that was heavily cut prior to subdivision. The area is known as San Rowe Ridge. The lot is located 1.35 miles north of the Tar Ridge Road. There is a \$100.00 per year road fee. It is on a good gravel road, no electricity is available. Deed reference Book 4891 Page 195. Minimum bid \$1,850.

Item No. 13
T3 RS BKP WKR, Piscataquis County
Map P1008, Plan 02, Lot 1 Unit 9D
This is a 2nd floor condominium unit which has been unused for some time. It is located in a 4-season resort area. Monthly association dues should be investigated to insure full disclosure of the responsibilities that attend ownership of this unit. This 4 x 38' Deed reference Book 627, Page 213. Minimum bid \$1,950.

Item No. 14
Edmunds Township, Washington County
Map WA029, Plan 02, Lot 38
This is a very narrow strip of land (0.90 acre) bounded on the west by Route 1 and an old section of Route 1 which still holds black top surface. The lot is not suitable for development. It lies below the road grade and is swampy at the southern end. It is lightly wooded. Deed reference Book 721, Page 211. Minimum bid \$100.

Item No. 15
Trescott Township, Washington County
Map WA032, Plan 01, Lot 103.4
This is an unimproved 1.84 acre lot on the north side of the blacktop Road 189 with power available. This appears to be a developable lot, lightly wooded, mostly above road grade about 200' x 400'. Deed reference Book 1088, Page 217. Minimum bid \$250.

Written bids will be accepted on the above described property at the Office of the Bureau of Purchases, Room 119, State Office Building, Station 9, Augusta, ME 04333 bids must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., January 8, 1996.

All bids must be addressed to the Bureau of Purchases. The envelope must be marked "Bid for Sale of Tax Acquired Property".

The State Tax Assessor reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

If additional information is required, please contact the Bureau of Taxation, Tel. No. (207) 287-4791.

NOTE: DO NOT remit the amount of the bid at the time of bidding, the high bidder will be given 15 days to pay the amount bid. The next sale will be in 1996. If you want a list of parcels for sale, please send a self-addressed stamped legal size envelope with the notation "L.S." appearing on the front to: Bureau of Taxation, Property Tax Division, Station 24, Augusta, ME 04333, prior to August 1996.

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Sale price \$4675. Payments cash or trade at 14.9% APR

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4 cyl., auto., air cond., styled wheels, cloth int., only 39,000 miles.
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Sale price \$6650. Payments cash or trade at 12% APR

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4 cyl., auto., am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., white
\$131.14
Sale price \$4750. Payments cash or trade at 12.5% APR

1991 GEO PRIZM
4 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm, cloth int., white
\$152.61
Sale price \$5900. Payments cash or trade at 13.5% APR

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Sale price \$4200. Payments cash or trade at 13% APR

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\$130.08
Sale price \$5200. Payments cash or trade at 13% APR

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\$115.22
Sale price \$3850. Payments cash or trade at 13.5% APR

1988 CHEVY BERETTA
4 cyl., auto., am/fm, cloth int.
\$120.97
Sale price \$3200. Payments cash or trade at 13.5% APR

1987 FORD TEMPO
4 cyl., auto., air cond., lift, only 55,000 miles.
\$95.43
Sale price \$2600. Payments cash or trade at 14.9% APR

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1990 FORD F150 4X4 6 cyl., 5 spd., ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, styled wheels, cloth int., bedliner, rear sliding window, blue \$211.91 mo Sale price \$7950. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 CHEVY 1500 4X4 PKUP 6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., alum. wheels, cloth int., two-tone, bedliner, rear sliding window, silver/black \$201.56 mo Sale price \$6850. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.	1990 FORD F150 HD 4X4 6 cyl., auto, am/fm, rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., bedliner, only 61,000 miles, red \$239.44 mo Sale price \$8975. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 SUBARU LEGACY 4X4 4 DR 4 cyl., 5 spd., air cond., ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., cloth int., ill. blue \$165.03 mo Sale price \$6375. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1989 FORD F250 HD 4X4 8 cyl., 5 spd., ill. cruise, rear sliding window, XL trim \$182.23 mo Sale price \$6800. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.
1989 CHEVY S-10 BLAZER 4X4 6 cyl., 5 spd., ill. am/fm, only 68,000 miles, blue \$208.91 mo Sale price \$7900. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 42 mos.	1988 JEEP CHEROKEE 4X4 4 DR 6 cyl., auto, air cond., ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., deep tinted glass, white \$198.56 mo Sale price \$6500. Payments: \$1500 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.	1988 SUBARU JUSTY GL 2 DR 4X4 3 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, cloth int., red \$119.17 mo Sale price \$2500. Payments: \$600 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 18 mos.	1988 CHEVY S10 4X4 PICK-UP 6 cyl., auto, am/fm/cass., cloth int., bedliner, rear sliding window, dk blue \$147.28 mo Sale price \$4500. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.	1988 CHEVY S-10 EX-CAB 4X4 W/PLW 6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, sun roof, styled wheels, 4 pass., 7 ft. Fisher, only 89,000 miles, brown \$197.55 mo Sale price \$6850. Payments: \$1200 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.
1987 MAZDA B2600 4X4 PKUP 4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, chrome wheels, cloth int., rear sliding window, bedliner, blue \$154.30 mo Sale price \$4675. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 14.5% APR for 30 mos.	1987 DODGE RAM 50 4X4 4 cyl., 5 spd., ill. am/fm, bedliner, only 43,000 miles, blue \$172.49 mo Sale price \$5200. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 14.5% APR for 30 mos.	1994 PLYMOUTH SUNDANCE 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, am/fm/cass., driver's air bag, cloth int., only 35,000 miles, raspberry \$146.95 mo Sale price \$7550. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 mos.	1984 GMC 3/4 T 4X4 w/Diamond V-Plow \$5500	1980 JEEP CJ-5 4X4 Blue \$2595
1993 PONTIAC LEMANS SE 2 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., only 39,000 miles, white \$153.26 mo Sale price \$6650. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 mos.	1993 CHEVY 1500 PKUP 6 cyl., auto, am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., rear sliding window, nice truck! black \$224.36 mo Sale price \$9650. Payments: \$1200 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 mos.	1993 DODGE SHADOW ES 2 DR 4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., sun roof, driver's air bag, alum. wheels, cloth int., only 42,000 miles, red \$173.67 mo Sale price \$7525. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 mos.	1993 MERCURY TRACER LTS 4 DR 4 cyl., 5 spd., p. mirrors, ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., p. sun roof, alum. wheels, cloth int., teal \$184.86 mo Sale price \$7950. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 mos.	1993 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, driver's air bag, cloth int., green \$157.21 mo Sale price \$6200. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 42 mos.
1991 DODGE CARAVAN CARGO VAN 4 cyl., auto, am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., white \$131.14 mo Sale price \$4750. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 36 mos.	1991 PLYMOUTH SUNDANCE 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., ill. cruise, am/fm, driver's air bag, cloth int., only 57,000 miles, white \$132.10 mo Sale price \$5900. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.	1991 PONTIAC GRAND AM LE 2 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., p. locks, ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., alum. wheels, cloth int., Nicell Red \$146.72 mo Sale price \$6450. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.	1991 GEO METRO 4 DR 3 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, cloth int., red \$107.99 mo Sale price \$3200. Payments: \$500 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 30 mos.	1991 DODGE CARAVAN 6 cyl., auto, air cond., p. mirrors, am/fm/cass., driver's air bag, cloth int., 7 pass., maroon \$167.72 mo Sale price \$6650. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 42 mos.
1991 GEO PRIZM 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, cloth int., white \$152.61 mo Sale price \$5900. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 42 mos.	1991 CHEVY CAVALIER WGN 4 cyl., auto, ill. am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., ill. blue \$105.38 mo Sale price \$4300. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 42 mos.	1990 FORD F150 CARGO VAN 6 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, blue \$163.16 mo Sale price \$6250. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 HYUNDAI EXCEL GL 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm/cass., cloth int., only 73,000 miles, red \$115.00 mo Sale price \$3600. Payments: \$700 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 30 mos.	1990 HYUNDAI EXCEL 2 DR 4 cyl., 4 spd., am/fm/cass., only 82,000 miles, red \$91.28 mo Sale price \$2850. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 24 mos.
1990 PONTIAC LEMANS LE 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, cloth int., only 61,000 miles, gold \$115.64 mo Sale price \$4200. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.	1990 DODGE DAYTONA 2 DR 4 cyl., auto, am/fm/cass., sun roof, driver's air bag, cloth int., only 53,000 miles, blue \$133.03 mo Sale price \$5200. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 DODGE CARAVAN 6 cyl., auto, air cond., ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., styled wheels, 7 passenger, brown \$187.24 mo Sale price \$6425. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.	1990 CHEVY LUMINA APV VAN 6 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, cloth int., 7 pass., only 70,000 miles, blue \$211.91 mo Sale price \$7950. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 FORD ESCORT LX 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, p. mirrors, am/fm/cass., cloth int., two tone, gold/gray \$98.84 mo Sale price \$3250. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 30 mos.
1990 DODGE COLT VISTA VAN 4 cyl., auto, am/fm, alum. wheels, cloth int., two tone, only 78,000 miles, gray/silver \$130.06 mo Sale price \$5200. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 OLDSMOBILE CIERA 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., p. windows, p. locks, ill. am/fm, cloth int., wire wheel covers, white \$151.64 mo Sale price \$5925. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1990 VW JETTA GL 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., cloth int., only 71,000 miles, gray \$156.10 mo Sale price \$5975. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.	1989 MERCURY TRACER 4 DR 4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., cloth int., blue \$109.92 mo Sale price \$3250. Payments: \$600 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 18 mos.	1989 CHEVY CELEBRITY WGN 6 cyl., auto, air cond., p. locks, ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., 8 pass., 3rd seat, Eurocolor, blue \$136.50 mo Sale price \$3725. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 24 mos.
1989 TOYOTA TERCEL 2 DR 4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., cloth int., only 78,000 miles, white \$115.22 mo Sale price \$3650. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.	1989 DODGE CARAVAN 4 cyl., auto, air cond., ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., 7 pass., two tone, brown \$121.14 mo Sale price \$3800. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 30 mos.	1989 OLDS DELTA 88 2 DR 6 cyl., auto, air cond., p. windows, p. locks, ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., cloth int., 12 vinyl roof, moell, blue \$173.75 mo Sale price \$5950. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.	1989 FORD RANGER PKUP 6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, styled wheels, cloth int., two tone, bedliner, rear sliding window, XLT, blue/silver \$125.09 mo Sale price \$3900. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.	1989 DODGE SPIRIT 4 DR 4 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm, cloth int., only 69,000 miles, ill. blue \$126.24 mo Sale price \$4550. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.
1988 CHEVY BERETTA 2 DR 4 cyl., auto, am/fm, cloth int., gray \$120.97 mo Sale price \$3200. Payments: \$700 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 24 mos.	1988 CHEVY CORSICA 4 DR 6 cyl., auto, air cond., p. windows, p. locks, ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., aluminum wheels, cloth int., CL silver \$113.25 mo Sale price \$3800. Payments: \$1000 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.	1988 CHEVY CAVALIER RS 2 dr, 4 cyl., auto, air cond., ill. cruise, am/fm/cass., sun roof, styled wheels, cloth int., red \$123.59 mo Sale price \$3900. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.	1988 CHEVY 1500 PICK-UP 8 cyl., auto, am/fm/cass., cloth int., two tone, bedliner, only 74,000 miles, silver blue \$192.41 mo Sale price \$5900. Payments: \$900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.	1988 CHEVY BERETTA 2 DR 6 cyl., auto, air cond., am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., digital dash, black \$127.53 mo Sale price \$4000. Payments: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.
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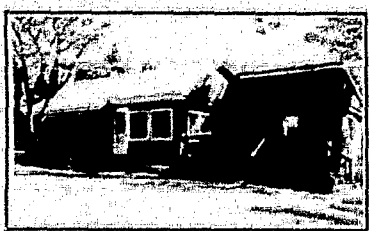
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Greenwood Rd., Greenwood - 2 bdrm, nice starter/retirement home, waterfront on Hicks Pond and priced to sell! - A great buy at \$89,900!



Park St., Bethel - 3 bdrm, 2 car garage, convenient in-town location, income apartment! Priced to sell at - \$119,900!



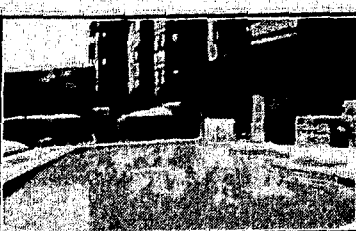
New Listing in beautiful Hanover - Very nice colonial, 4 bdrm/1 bath, 2 car garage, great landscaping, convenient to SR! What a house for \$99,900!



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Apts. with 2 bedrooms, each, living, kitchen,
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SOUTH RIDGE 2 bedroom townhouse with
fireplace, dishwasher. Fully furnished,
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River. Ridge Run Trail. WAS \$119,000.
REDUCED TO \$109,000. Call owner at
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3-4 BEDROOM FARMHOUSE in West
Bethel. New sewer system, down payment,
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FOR SALE BY OWNER: Large Victorian
with barn, Rumford Corner, 9 miles from
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Great for B&B. \$83,000. Firm. Evenings
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Village. Large barn, 2 car garage, rolling
fields. 1/2 mile from Song Pond. Mahosuc
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year round home, two car garage, workshop,
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4 bdrm. country farmhouse with a 50 foot deeped right of way to desirable South Pond. Located just minutes to Mt. Abram and Sunday River Ski Area. A great year round vacation or primary home! \$77,500.

FARMHOUSE - SUNDAY RIVER ROAD
5 Bedrooms. Farmhouse located minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Two fireplaces, enclosed porch, 2 car garage. This lovely property is situated on 1.3+/- acres with frontage on Sunday River. \$185,000.

FARMHOUSE 18+/- ACRES
This property is a lovely, well maintained farmhouse situated on 18+/- acres of land. Restored with many new updates, spacious family room, great working kitchen, 5 bedrooms, large barn & much more! Priced reasonably at \$125,500.

CAPTIVATING LOG HOME
Spacious 6 bdrm. log home very privately situated on approx. 3 acres of land with incredible views of Sunday River Ski Resort. Custom built home with attention to detail. A wonderful full year round or vacation retreat! \$225,000.

3 BEDROOM HOME CLOSE TO VILLAGE
Well maintained 3 bedroom home just outside the village of Bethel. Excellent rental history. A great year round or vacation investment! Just reduced to \$65,000.

CARRIAGE HOUSE
Located in the center of Bethel village this restored 1920's longhouse condominium offers the convenience of town living in a peaceful neighborhood setting. This uniquely designed and built home has many nice features including 2 bedrooms, with cathedral ceilings. Reasonably priced at \$115,000.

NEWLY BUILT ATTRACTIVE CAPE
Very attractive Cape situated in a desirable subdivision with lots of privacy. 2-3 bedrooms, cathedral ceiling, wonderful screened in porch. Separate sauna building, hot tub, attractively landscaped. A desirable year round or vacation home. \$149,900.

CONTEMPORARY SALTBOX - E. RUMFORD
Located on Rt. 2 approx. 15 minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort this home would make an ideal vacation retreat. Privately situated with lovely views. Open living/dining room with cathedral ceilings, a fireplace and a wood stove. Also has a large deck and a two car garage. \$96,500.

FARM - HANOVER
This charming 200 year old farmhouse is situated on 2 acres of land just north of the Sunday River Ski Resort. 6 bedrooms, and a spacious country kitchen. Restore the 4 grand places that make this home unique. Detached barn. Located in Hanover. Just reduced to \$68,000.

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#1142 SUMNER Seven room farmhouse with large attached barn, plus four outbuildings surrounded by approximately 76 acres of fields and woodland. Also has frontage on Pleasant Pond. Farmhouse needs work. Nice quiet setting and mountain side views can be shown anytime. \$108,000.

#1145 Just like new! Never lived in one bedroom home. Beautiful ceramic tiles on kitchen counter-top. All new carpets and inlay. Has cement walkway to the street. New well and septic. Will see this adorable home, \$39,000.

#1144 This beautiful, immaculate colonial, built in 1980 is nestled on very well groomed land, graced by white birches, and overlooking fields and mountains. Ten spacious and comfortable rooms, a great closet space throughout, 2 3/4 baths. Open kitchen, dining room and living room is great for large family gatherings and entertaining. 4 zone oil HWB heating with efficient wood burning furnace, as well as 2 workshops. Large, immaculate barn/area with huge storage area. VERY EFFICIENT - WELL TAKEN CARE OF HOME. A MUST SEE! \$189,000.

#1141 48 acres of spacious fields and a beautiful view surround this Cape, built in 1982. Man made pond and fruit trees adorn back yard. Guest house and large barn with retail or potential coffee shop space overlooks back yard and view of mountains. Well insulated 8 room home has large kitchen with built in Cook's kit, fireplace in living room, exposed beams. Efficient, well built home! Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 bathrooms. A MUST SEE! \$130,000.

#1145 BETHEL Affordable three bedroom home close to ski areas. New dug well/septic, plumbing and wiring. Vinyl siding. All new carpet and inlay throughout. Pine boards on some walls make it warm and cozy. \$49,000.

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Bethel: Gorgeous 11 bdrm home
4 separate apartments with over \$2,000 monthly rental revenue! \$388,000

South Pond: Divine 4 bdrm waterfront
contemporary boasts magnificent mountain views and stone fireplace. \$279,900

Bethel: Fabulous 4 bdrm/2 bath
renovated farmhouse on 23+/- pristine acres. Large barn and farm pond. \$225,000

Lake Christopher: Beautiful waterfront
farmhouse presents large barn w/lot, sandy beach & water. expro. \$169,900

Newry: Moments from the slopes, lies
this wonderful waterfront gambrel w/steep 6 capacity and sauna. \$179,900

Bethel: Enchanting cape in mint, move-
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Woodstock: Charming "country living"
farmhouse on 1+/- acre w/privately landscaped and spacious interior. \$59,900

Bethel: Comfortable home near Bethel
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Andover: Grand Victorian 5 bdrm. farm-
house situated on a scenic 1+/- acre lot with Ellis River views. \$139,900

W. Bethel: Country charm & tasteful
renovations combine in this picture perfect 3 bdrm. farmhouse. \$134,900

W. Bethel: Delightful 4 bdrm split level
situated on a scenic, easy to maintain lot features a spacious interior. \$79,900

Bethel: Charming 3 bdrm country cape
with high ceilings, fireplace and new water system on 2+/- acres. \$89,900

Woodstock: Attractive and affordable 3
bdrm home w/efficient living area and hardwood floors. \$59,900

Bethel: Vintage Greek Revival on a
scenic 2+/- acre lot also offers a separate mobile home for possible rental. \$59,900

Concord Pond: Winsome & private
waterfront cottage w/screened porch and a treasured view of serenity. \$55,900

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